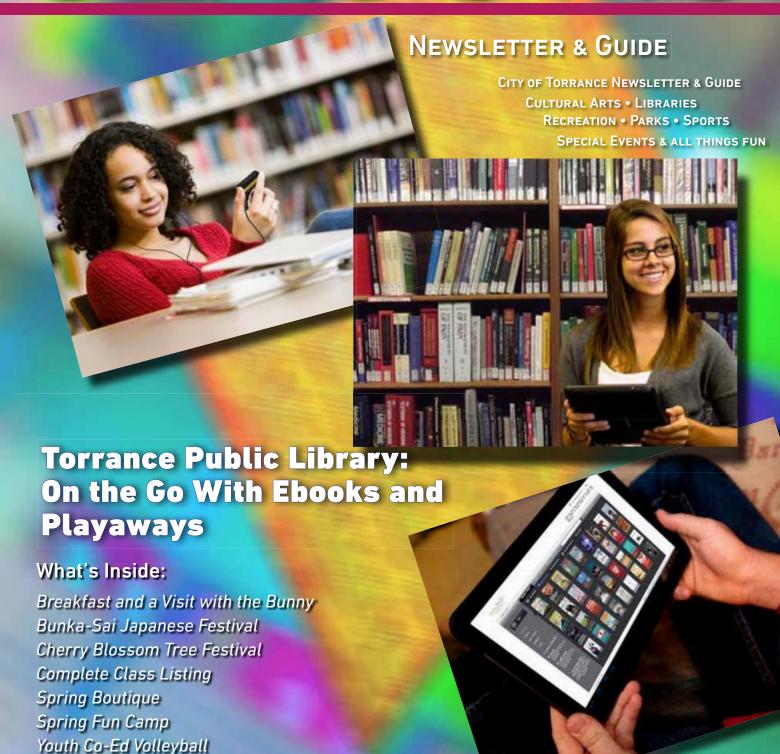
CITY OF TORRANCE

2014 SPRING

SEASONS



Breakfast and a Visit with the Bunny

Saturday, April 19 9:00am-12:00pm

Torrance Cultural Arts Center Toyota Meeting Hall 3330 Civic Center Drive

\$20 person

Come join the fun in this special program that will include:

- Breakfast (consisting of silver dollar pancakes, sausage, juice, milk, coffee, tea and
- A special holiday puppet show from Jim Gamble **Productions**
- DJ Ozzie
- Cookie decorating
- A photo with the Bunny at a designated time during the program (please bring your camera for the photo)
- And more

Breakfast will be served from 9:00-9:30am

Seating is limited. No strollers or baby carriers will be permitted inside. Children 10 years of age and under must be accompanied by a paid adult.

Phone-in and walk-in registration will take place at the Registration Office located in the West Annex of City Hall or online at https://ClassSchedule.TorranceCA.Gov.

Resident registration: Tuesday, March 4-Friday, April 11 Non-resident registration: Tuesday, March 11-Friday, April 11 Mail-in and fax-in registration is not available for this activity. The Registration Office is closed on March 7, 21 and April 4.



27th Annual Spring Boutique



Sunday, April 6 9:00am-4:00pm Charles H Wilson Park 2200 Crenshaw Blvd.

Free Admission ▼ Public Invited One-of-a-Kind Gifts - Handcrafted Goods Music provided by: D.J. Ozzie Come select your

Easter ▼ Mother's Day ▼ Father's Day Graduation ▼ Wedding Gifts!

Food Vendors will be selling on site Children's Crafts and Photos with the Giant Bunny (for a nominal fee) Sponsored by Torrance Youth Council Come out and support our Youth

The Torrance Sister City Association presents Bunka-Sai Japanese Cultural Festival



Saturday, April 26 and Sunday April 27 11:00am-5:00pm Ken Miller Recreation Center 3341 Torrance Boulevard

Sponsored by the Torrance Sister City Association, the festival will feature performances, exhibits, demonstrations, and workshops including Japanese dance and music, martial arts, flower arranging, calligraphy, a tea ceremony and more! A variety of Japanese foods will tantalize your taste buds and there will be games for the children to enjoy!

Admission is FREE with a nominal charge for food and games. Don't miss this fun-filled family event!

3rd Annual Cherry Blossom Tree Festival

Columbia Park 4045 190th Street

Sunday, March 16 11:00am-4:00pm Admission is Free

Entertainment * food and an opportunity to sit amongst the blossoming cherry tree For more information call (310) 618-2380.



Tuesdays & Saturdays 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

variety of top quality produce,

friendly service and fair prices!

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While the Community Services Department makes every effort to ensure that all information provided is listed as accurately as possible, please understand that we reserve the right to make necessary changes to classes and programs.

On the Covers

Front: Torrance Public Library: On the Go with Ebooks and Playaways.

Back: Torrance Public Library now offers FREE Computer Assistance for Adults!

REGISTRATION INFORMATION - SPRING 2014

Classes begin the week of March 30, 2014

Torrance resident registration begins Tuesday, March 4 Non-resident registration begins Tuesday, March 11

REGISTRATION OFFICE HOURS:

West Annex: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Cultural Arts Center: 9:00am - 4:00pm; March 4-April 17 City Hall offices are closed on the following dates: February 7, 12, 17 & 21; March 7 & 21; April 4 & 18

To have the best opportunity of getting your desired class(es), please register in the following PRIORITY order.

- 1) Online must have an account
- 2) Phone-in (310) 618-2720
- 3) Walk-in 3031 Torrance Blvd
- 4) Fax (310) 781-7598
- 5) Mail 3031 Torrance Blvd., Torrance 90503

For more information on how to register for classes and programs contact us:

City of Torrance Community Services Department Registration Office, Torrance City Hall West Annex 3031 Torrance Boulevard, Torrance, CA 90503 Phone (310) 618-2720

Fax (310) 781-7598

e-mail: Enroll@TorranceCA.Gov online: www.TorranceCA.Gov/9087.htm

REGISTRATION POLICIES

Persons giving false information regarding name, age, and address may be dropped from the class or activity without refund or credit. Students MUST be age appropriate by the first class.

Cancellation Policy

Classes that do not meet minimum enrollment requirements may be cancelled one week before class begins. Students who request to withdraw from most classes at least ONE business day BEFORE THE CLASS BEGINS may receive an 80% refund. Students who request to withdraw from classes at least one business day before the THIRD SCHEDULED CLASS may receive a full credit on account with the City of Torrance Registration Office (this credit may be used for any classes by any family member, and must be used within one year from the date of issue). Classes less than 6 class meetings require one week notice to withdraw. See individual class policy for Afterschool Club, Camps, Excursions, Community Gardens and Sports Leagues. To withdraw from class contact the Registration Office.

Convenience Fee

The City of Torrance will be charging a non-refundable convenience fee of 2.5% for all ONLINE class registrations.

Military Discounts

Active Military personnel and their immediate dependents are eligible to receive a 10% discount (up to a maximum of \$10 per program or class per participant) on Community Services classes. For more information, visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/9087.htm.

Proof of Residency

Torrance residents will be required to provide current proof of residency when registering for the first time, if you move to a different Torrance address, or if mail is returned. Acceptable forms of proof of residency MUST be current and will be limited to the following:

- ▶ California Driver's License (with current address)
- ▶ Car Registration or Car Insurance Premium
- Utility Bill such as: gas, electric, Torrance water or trash, or a cable bill (telephone and satellite bills are NOT accepted).

Residency

Torrance residents may register for classes and programs one week prior to non-residents. A Torrance resident is defined as anyone living within the Torrance city limits. Those living in the 90502 zip code and the 90501 zip code east of Western Avenue are considered non-residents. Non-residents are welcome to register for classes, but pay an additional non-resident fee for most classes.

Scholarships

Financial scholarships are available for Torrance residents and may be used for qualifying individuals under the age of 18 or over the age of 50 (proof of age is required). For more information, visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/9087.htm.

Waiting Lists

Once a class is filled, participants will be placed on a waiting list. If a vacancy occurs prior to the start of class, wait list participants will be notified in the order they were placed on the list. Participants will then have three (3) business days to contact the Registration Office to pay for the class. Failure to contact the office will result in the name being removed from the wait list and the next participant will be contacted. Please be sure the Registration Office has your correct phone number and e-mail address on file. Waiting lists are established for each activity each session.

ATTENTION ALL CUSTOMERS

The Registration Office has changed software programs. If you have not already submitted your Household Form, please do so prior to registering for classes in order to avoid delays in the registration process. The form is available at www.TorranceCA.Gov/9087.htm and on page 6.

Payee Information: (Person paying for registration) Check if this is a new address Res./Non-resident the undersigned, do hereby agree to allow the individual(s) named herein to participate in the aforementioned activity (ies) and I further agree to indemnify and hold the City of Torrance harmless from and against any and all liability for any injury which may be suffered by the aforementioned individual arising out of or in any way connected with participation in this activity. I also agree, as participant/parent/guardian of any paid or free event, class, activity, or program, to grant **Program Fee** □ Participant full permission to the City of Torrance to use my name and any photographs, videographs, motion pictures or recordings for any publicity and promotion without obligation or liability to me. I verify that all the above information is true and **FOR OFFICE USE ONLY** Zip: Legal Guardian **Credit/Discount** 3rd Choice **Fotal Fees** Fax #:(Sub-Total Work Phone: (Receipt # State: Date **Activity Code Numbers** □ Parent If faxing, send with credit card information to: 2nd Choice Fill in below if different from participant: 3031 Torrance Blvd., Torrance, CA 90503 Send separate checks payable to: City of Torrance Registration Phone (310) 618-2720 IF PAYING BY CHECK FAX (310) 781-7598 l understand that the office must be notified of a refund request one (1) working day prior to the first class and that a 20% service charge will be withheld. **Ist Choice** Driver's License: Home Phone: (email address: Cell Phone: (Address: Name: **Name Of Activity** Credit Card Requests Must Have a Signature American Express 😭 Please Include a Stamped, Self-Addressed Envelope to Receive Your Receipt Zip: Sex I Hereby Authorize The Use Of My: Mastercard Visa Discover CREDIT CARD INFORMATION Year Print Name: State: under age 18) Please print clearly. (Form may be duplicated, one family per form.) Fax #: (Work Phone: (Birthdate **Expiration Date: Month Registration Form** Participant's Full Name Print Name As It Appears On Card: (First and Last) Credit Card #: Security Code Home Phone: (Cell Phone: (_ Signature: Last Name: Signature: Address:



City of Torrance Community Services Department

3031 Torrance Boulevard, Torrance, CA 90503 (310) 618-2720

"Creating and Enriching Community through People, Programs, Partnerships"

REGISTRATION SOFTWARE UPDATE

The Registration Office has changed class registration software beginning with the Winter 2014 season. As we transition to the new software system we need to update all of our records. To avoid delays during the registration process, please complete this form and return it to the Registration Office at least one week prior to registering. All Torrance residents must attach current proof of residency, even if you are in our previous database. You may send it to us at:

E-mail: Enroll@TorranceCA.Gov

Fax: 310.781.7598

Mail or walk-in: Registration Office, 3031 Torrance Blvd., Torrance, CA 90503

Your previous customer information and history is no longer available. If you have any questions, please call the Registration Office 310.618.2720.

HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION (please print legibly)Complete all fields. Incomplete forms will not be processed.

Head of Household (first - last - gender)	Secondary Head of Household (first - last - gender)		
Date of Birth:	Date of Birth:		
City, State, Zip:			
Primary Phone number:	Secondary Phone Number:		
Emergency Contact (name & number):			
Dependent Family Member:			
Name: (first, last)	Relationship:		
Birth Date:			
School Name:			
Dependent Family Member:			
Name: (first, last)	Relationship:		
Birth Date:			
School Name:			
Dependent Family Member:			
Name: (first, last)	Relationship:		
Birth Date:			
School Name:			
Dependent Family Member:			
	Relationship:		
Birth Date:			
School Name:	School Grade:		

Please make copies for additional family members.

CITY NEWS - SPRING 2014

CITY LAUNCHES "TORRANCE VOTES" ETHICS PROGRAM

Engaged voters are a foundation of democracy. To promote even more involved voters, the Mayor and City Council recently approved the next generation in the City's already active ethic programs. Focused on the upcoming June 3rd municipal elections, the Torrance Votes program will engage the public more robustly in considering their next Mayor, four Council Members, the City Clerk, and City Treasurer.

The City of Torrance has a long history of ethics programs to increase the caliber of public service, such as CORE training for municipal employees and campaign finance reform measures. The most recent Blue Ribbon committee and two previous ethics-related committees provided a forum for the discussion of common ideologies that reflect the expectations of the Torrance community. The tenets of the Ethics Policy for Candidates for Elective Office focus on the goals to be responsible, be honest and trustworthy, be respectful and be transparent.

These principles will be complimented by an aggressive Torrance Votes community outreach program. Torrance Votes is neutral, impartial and non-partisan. It does not direct voters for whom or how they should cast their ballots. Rather, the program focuses on how the public can be more educated about candidates and local politics, while respecting the right of each person to their own unique political, ethical, and moral ideology.

An element of the Torrance Votes program is the Ethics Training for Candidates for Elective Office. This voluntary training session will help share expectations and best practices for candidates and campaign teams. Other key elements of the Torrance Votes program will focus on offering voters some handy tips regarding how to research candidates. For example, skills to assess candidate ideologies, review campaign brochures and determine fundraising sources.

If you're interested, keep an eye out for Torrance Votes brochures mailed to each household, utility bill inserts and advertisements in local newspapers. A series of video shorts on CitiCABLE 3, a social media presence and a dedicated Torrance Votes website (www.TorranceVotes. Org) will provide additional information.

Remember, the voter registration deadline for the upcoming municipal election is May 19, 2014. The polls are open on Election Day, June 3rd from 7 AM to 8 PM. And, a reminder that vote-by-mail ballots must be received by the Registrar of Voters or a polling location by the close of the polls on Election Day. For more information, please contact the City Clerk's Office at (310) 618-2870.

STUDENTS AND GOVERNMENT DAY - MAY 6, 2014

The City of Torrance announces this year's Students and Government Day; a program now in its eighth year is geared toward 8th graders who attend public and private schools in the city of Torrance. Students and Government Day is a great opportunity for students to gain an understanding of local government. Students that participate will become a more informed and involved citizen and future voter. It also exposes students to a possible career choice of public service. To participate, 8th grade students must neatly write or type a 100 -150 word essay on the topic: The foundation of the American political system is citizen participation. Within the City of Torrance, our Mayor's focus has been on active citizen participation through volunteering and helping in our community helping in our community. This is called "paying it forward." Describe one project that you would develop and complete to "pay it forward" and explain how this would benefit our community. Essays must be submitted to the respective social studies teacher by February 11, 2014. Forms are available at www.TorranceCA. Gov/Students.htm.

Among those who submitted essays, 21 students will be invited to participate in a variety of activities, including job shadowing elected

officials or city management staff for the afternoon and opening an actual City Council meeting.

While this program is geared for 8th graders, the City encourages all students to continue learning about local government and how they can help serve our community. For more information on the Students and Government Day, please visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/Students.htm or contact the City Manager's Office at (310) 618-5880.

THE CITY OF TORRANCE: A FINANCIAL PICTURE

The City of Torrance understands that knowledgeable community members can be better participants in helping shape the City of Torrance. Consequently, the City continues to provide vital information to the community, primarily through its website, and encourages interested residents to visit often.

Through www.TorranceCA.Gov, the City of Torrance provides the community with information that can help monitor the City's economic health in addition to its services and programs. By visiting the Finance Department's web page, www.TorranceCA.Gov/Finance, residents can easily access detailed reports on the City budget, financial reports, lists of new business, purchasing information, and much more. Residents can also help us improve the Finance pages by filling out our Finance Satisfaction Survey located on the web page.

Specific information requests may also be made with the City Clerk's Office by calling (310) 618-2870 or sending an email to CityClerk@ TorranceCA.Gov or in-person at City Hall, 3031 Torrance Boulevard, Torrance, CA 90503

The City encourages residents to visit these web pages and become more active participants in shaping the community. Find out how to subscribe to City web pages using eNotify by visiting www.TorranceCA. Gov/20726.htm

TORRANCE ADVANTAGE AWARDS: MARCH 20, 2014

Every year, the City of Torrance showcases local businesses that contribute significantly to the growth and enrichment of the community at the Torrance Advantage Awards (TAA). Through the Torrance Advantage Awards, Torrance recognizes innovative economic development projects and best practices across the city. Award winners with the highest evaluations are selected in four different categories: People to People, Enriching the Community, Quality of Life Investor, and Long-Term Investor.

Hosted by the Office of Economic Development, the 6th Annual TAA ceremony will be on March 20, 2014 at Pacific Skies Aviation. Applications are now available to download at www.TorranceCA.Gov/TAA.htm. Torrance businesses are encouraged to begin submitting their completed application to TorranceAdvantageAwards@TorranceCA.Gov. To mail the application, please address the completed pack of material to City of Torrance, Office of Economic Development, 3031 Torrance Blvd. Torrance, California 90503.

For any questions regarding the 2012 Torrance Advantage Awards application and nomination process, please contact Fran Fulton at the Office of Economic Development, 3031 Torrance Blvd., Torrance, California 90503 at 310.618.5807.

If you have any questions or would like more information about this event, please contact Fran Fulton at the Office of Economic Development (310) 618-5807 or FFulton@TorranceCA.Gov.

STATE OF THE CITY ADDRESS

Join Mayor Frank Scotto in his final State of the City Address at The Torrance Marriott South Bay on Thursday, May 1, 2014. The evening event will provide a glimpse of what's next for the City of Torrance in addition to allowing Mayor Scotto the opportunity to share achievements during his 2 terms as Mayor. For more information, please contact the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce at (310) 540-5858.



Classes begin the week of March 30 and will not meet April 20, May 16, 17, 24, 25 & 26. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. Classes are held at the Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3330 Civic Center Drive. For cancellation policy, please see page 4.

CARTOON ART

Cartoon Art Hangout/Workshop

Prerequisite: Cartooning I. This is an informal workshop environment for experienced student artists who wish to work independently on their own projects. Instructor will be on hand to help with any aspects of realizing their artistic goals.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class	
12-17	Sa	2:00-4:00pm	Tiernev	\$91/\$101	221101-01	

Cartooning I

So, you've never drawn before? That's okay! Come and discover the easy-to-learn, secret formulas for cartoon and comic book figures in a fun, relaxed classroom atmosphere.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-11	Tu	4:00-5:30pm	Tierney	\$79/\$89	221104-01
12-15	W	4:00-5:30pm	Tierney	\$79/\$89	221104-02
8-11	Sa	10:00-11:30am	Tierney	\$79/\$89	221104-03

Cartooning II

Prerequisite: Cartooning I. In this course the instructor will introduce many skills and techniques to the class, including pencil shading, line control, inking, pastel, colored pencil and watercolor.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-12	Th	4:00-5:30pm	Tierney	\$79/\$89	221105-01
8-12	Sa	12:00-1:30pm	Tierney	\$79/\$89	221105-02

■ Drawing the Cartoon/Comic Book NEW!

This introductory course is intended to help in the development of the student's drawing knowledge and skills as pertains to the construction of figures from the comic strip and animated film worlds. No previous drawing skills are necessary. A supply list will be available at the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	М	7:00-8:30pm	Tierney	\$79/\$89	231103-01

Manga Crazy

NEW!

Prerequisite: Cartooning I. Explore drawing in the Manga and Anime Style amongst all others. Emphasis will be on comic drawing, inking and coloring techniques to make your work look like the pros.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
12-17	F	4:00-6:00pm	Tierney	\$91/\$101	221107-01



CERAMICS & CLAY

Clay is NOT included unless otherwise specified. To purchase clay see Ceramic Extras.

■ Ceramic Sculpture

Learn to use hand-building techniques to create ceramic sculpture. Methods include pinch, coil, slab and combining these building techniques to create sculpture. The Tuesday class focuses on textures, mask making and use of molds.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	F	9:30-12:00pm	Weiss	\$119/\$134	231201-02
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18+	Tu	6:30-9:00pm	Sochar	\$132/\$147	231201-01

■ Ceramic Surface Decoration

Prerequisite: Prior clay experience is necessary. This class is geared towards enhancing the clay surface with carving, stamping, stenciling, shellac or wax resist, and colored slips on slabs (tile) or previously made pieces. A supply list will be available at the first class.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	W	1:00-3:30pm	Stewart	\$132/\$147	231202-01

Ceramics I

Learn basic hand-building, glazing and throwing on the potter's wheel using high-fire clay.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class	
18+	М	6:30-9:00pm	Solorio	\$119/\$134	231203-01	
10 weeks						
18+	Tu	9:30-12:00pm	Sochar	\$132/\$147	231203-02	
18+	W	9:30-12:00pm	Stewart	\$132/\$147	231203-03	

Ceramics II

Prerequisite: TCAC Beginning Ceramics or instructor approval. Build on the basic knowledge to center clay and make a simple pot on the potter's wheel. Master larger amounts of clay for large bowls & platters, 2-part assembled forms, lidded forms, pouring vessels and more.

10 weeks

Age	Level	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Int	W	6:30-9:00pm	Weiss	\$132/\$147	231204-01
18+	Beg/Int	Th	6:30-9:00pm	Stewart	\$132/\$147	231204-02

Clay Magic for Parent & Child

Fun for parent and child with projects to encourage fine motor skills. Learn hand-building and glazing techniques. Fee includes clay, firing and glazes. Fee is per child, no unpaid siblings. Maximum of two children per adult.

8 weeks, *no class April 26

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
3-7	М	1:00-2:30pm	Sochar	\$97/\$107	221201-01
3-7	Sa*	12:00-1:30pm	Sochar	\$97/\$107	221201-02





Family Clay Fun

A fun time for the whole family! Learn to create with clay using your imagination and ingenuity while you work together as a family. Fee includes clay, firing and glazes. Fee is per child, no unpaid siblings. Maximum of two children per adult.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
5-10	F	4:00-5:30pm	Trulove	\$94/\$104	221202-01

Kids on the Wheel and Beyond

Functional and sculptural projects are the focus of this class while introducing students to the potter's wheel. Hand-building techniques are also utilized. Fee includes clay, firing and glazes.

8 weeks, *no class April 26

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class				
10-17	Sa*	9:30-11:30am	Trulove	\$108/\$123	221203-02				
10 we	10 weeks								
10-17	W	4:00-6:00pm	Lauder	\$136/\$151	221203-01				

Open Ceramics Studio & Workshop

Prerequisite: Current enrollment in a Torrance Community Services Department ceramics class or previous City of Torrance ceramic student for 1 year, or demonstration of prior clay experience with supervisor's approval. The 5 week classes run concurrent with the 10 week class. If the 10 week class cancels, the 5 week classes will also cancel. To purchase clay see Ceramic Extras.

5-6 hour classes

Age	Day	Dates	Time	Fee	Class			
18+	Th	4/3-5/1	9:00-3:00pm	\$100/\$110	231205-01			
18+	Th	5/8-6/5	9:00-3:00pm	\$100/\$110	231205-02			
10-6 hour classes								
18+	Th	4/3-6/5	9:00-3:00pm	\$166/\$186	231205-04			

Outrageous Creative Clay

Use hand-building techniques to create imaginative and original clay sculptures exploring pinch, slab and coil. Fee includes clay, firing and glazes.

8 weeks, *no class April 26

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
6-9	М	4:00-5:30pm	Sochar	\$89/\$99	221204-01
6-9	Tu	4:00-5:30pm	Trulove	\$89/\$99	221204-02
6-9	Sa*	2:00-3:30pm	Sochar	\$89/\$99	221204-03

☐ Teen Ceramic Studio – All Levels

Create pots and ceramic sculpture on the potter's wheel and learn advanced hand-building and glazing techniques. Design your own projects in this fun program. Initial wheel instruction will be given at the instructor's discretion. Fee includes clay, firing and glazes.

8 weeks, no class April 26

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
10-14	Sa	4:00-5:30pm	Sochar	\$87/\$97	221205-01

Teen Ceramic Workshop - All Levels

Students develop their own projects with freedom to explore their direction and aesthetics in clay. Demonstrations, projects, ideas and clay construction assistance is provided. Students with clay experience can work independently. Fee includes clay firing and glazes.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
10-17	F	6:00-8:00pm	Trulove	\$122/\$137	221206-01

■ Ceramic Sculpture Workshop

Demonstrations will include: how to create an armature; a human head in wet clay; plus an animal and a full figure with a wire armature using oil based clay. You will leave with an understanding of the bronzing process and an introduction to anatomy.

Bring a sack lunch. Requests for refunds, credits, and transfers must be made at least one week before class begins.

1 day, April 26

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Sa	10:00-4:00pm	Joyce	\$60/\$70	231206-01

Ceramic Extras

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Туре	Fee	Class
Clay – Regular	\$11	POS 1
Clay – Porcelain	\$18	POS 2
Casting Slip	\$14	POS 3
Locker – Large	\$11	231260-01
Locker – Small	\$9	231260-02

Clay is sold in 25 lb bags and MUST be purchased at the Registration Office. Lockers may be rented in advance. For specific locker assignments, students may come to the Cultural Services Office beginning Monday, March 31 from 9:00am-8:00pm. You must show proof of payment to receive locker assignment, bring your receipt.

DRAWING & PAINTING

Botanical and Portrait Drawing

Learn tips to draw realistic flowers and portraits in this dual course! Discover shading techniques in charcoal, pencil and pen. First four weeks: flowers; last four weeks: portraits from photos. A supply list is available on our web page.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
16+	F	1:30-3:30pm	Siegal	\$98/\$108	231301-01

■ Draw and Sketch

It's never too late to learn the basics of drawing. Drawing is learning to observe, understand the basics of shading, composition, expression and style. Students work in pencil, charcoal and pen & ink. A supply list will be available at the first class.

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Tu	12:30-3:00pm	Nagy	\$132/\$147	231302-01
18+	W	6:30-9:00pm	Ragimov	\$132/\$147	231302-02





□ Drawing and Watercolor Painting

Learn the rules of perspective, shading and color. Draw and paint from life and imagination learning techniques from the Old Masters. Explore two dimensional skills working with pencils, pen, ink and watercolor.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
10-15	Sa	3:30-5:00pm	Ragimov	\$78/\$88	221302-01

■ Drawing in Color - Beg/Int

An introduction of color theory and how to apply it to drawings and illustrations using pastel, markers, colored pencil and watercolors. A supply list will be available at the first class.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	М	1:30-4:00pm	Nagy	\$119/\$134	231305-01

□ Drawing, Painting and Watercolor

This is a beginning art class that builds skills and confidence, combining drawing exercises and creative projects. Explore the elements of art using various techniques and media on different surfaces. New projects each season.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
6-10	М	4:00-5:30pm	Reeves	\$78/\$88	221304-01
6-10	F	4:00-5:30pm	Reeves	\$78/\$88	221304-02
6-10	Sa	9:30-11:00am	Reeves	\$78/\$88	221304-03
6-10	Sa	11:30-1:00pm	Reeves	\$78/\$88	221304-04
6-10	Sa	1:30-3:00pm	Reeves	\$78/\$88	221304-05

□ Drawing Principles for Illustration I&II

Use a variety of drawing media to improve drawing skills emphasizing black and white; charcoal, pencil, pen and ink, etc. working on line, value, light and shadow. This is a serious course and a mature attitude is a must!

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
10-16	Th	4:00-5:30pm	Ste. Marie	\$80/\$90	221303-01

Experiment with Acrylic Painting – All Levels

A neat alternative to oil paints, acrylic paint is a medium that mixes and cleans up with water. Starting with a demonstration, students can paint the class project or work on their own. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	М	9:30-12:00pm	Peterson	\$119/\$134	231306-01

■ Exploring Watercolor Techniques

Watercolor is fun and easy! Each class starts with a demonstration of techniques. Students can follow along with the class project or work on their own projects. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
16+	М	1:00-3:30pm	Peterson	\$119/\$134	231307-01

■ One Stroke Painting - Introduction

Learn the popular One Stroke Painting technique that shades, highlights and blends all in one stroke of the brush at a slower pace on one group project. Supplies will be discussed at the first class

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
15+	Tu	10:00-12:00pm	Numamoto	\$89/\$99	231310-01

■ One Stroke Painting and More

Continue the popular One Stroke Painting technique on different projects. Students work at their own pace. Fauxing, shading and etching are introduced. Supplies will be discussed at the first class

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
15+	Tu	12:30-3:00pm	Numamoto	\$105/\$120	231310-11

■ Open Studio Painting - All Media

Students work on paintings in media of their choice at their own pace. Instructor is available to give critique and advice. Students provide their own art supplies and materials.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
16+	Tu	7:00-9:30pm	Libbrecht	\$132/\$147	231312-01

Painting with Water Based Oils NEW!

This introductory painting course using paints that dry slowly and clean quickly without dangerous smells lets you work with rich colors. Instructor will give individual help and demonstrations. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Th	1:00-3:00nm	Metcalf	\$112/\$127	231313-01

■ Pastels and More

Learn to use pastels like paint as well as a drawing medium. Watercolors, acrylics and inks may be used with pastels, using what pleases you most. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	W	1:00-3:00pm	Metcalf	\$112/\$127	231314-01

Pastels for Youth

NEW!

Drawings or paintings? Oil and chalk pastels share the benefit of both. Learn to use both materials to study the color wheels, drawing, shading and combining pastels with watercolor and acrylic.

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-13	Tu	4:00-5:30pm	Koss	\$78/\$88	221314-01







JEWELRY

Casting and Metalwork for Jewelry – All Levels

Learn to make one of a kind jewelry using the art of Lost Wax Casting, mold making and jewelry fabrication. Techniques discussed will include: basic metal work, soldering, sawing, forming, stone setting and casting. Additional materials run \$70-\$80.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	W	6:00-9:00pm	Stewart	\$126/\$141	231402-01

Jewelry Making for Youth

Learn to design and make beautiful bracelets, necklaces, earrings, rings and more using jeweler's tools, wire, and findings. Fabric, wood, yarn and other mixed media will also be incorporated. Supply list and sources will be provided at the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-13	М	4:30-6:00pm	Koss	\$78/\$88	221401-01

Metalsmithing and Jewelry

Introduction to metalsmithing techniques including: cutting, drilling, riveting, soldering, forming, patination, and finishing. Learn to work with non-ferrous metals such as silver, nickel, copper, and bronze to fabricate small sculptural works and/or jewelry. Tools, materials, and techniques will be discussed. Additional materials run \$70-\$80.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	ree	Class
16+	Th	9:30-12:30pm	Stewart	\$126/\$141	231403-01

■ Hollow Beads Workshop

Learn to create two kinds of beads. One is a Lentil Bead. Lentils have a low dome. The other is an open, lacy bead that is made with a syringe. Basic tools are provided for class use. Firing will be done off site. Materials range from \$40-\$75. A supply list is available on our web page. Bring a sack lunch. Requests for refunds, credits, and transfers must be made at least one week before class begins.

1 day, May 3

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Sa	9:30-4:00pm	Brooks	\$65/\$75	231400-01

LITERARY ARTS

Creative Writing Program

Write in a variety of genres including short stories, plays, essays, poetry, chapter books and novels. Class includes mini-lessons on story construction, brainstorming, writing techniques and writing exercises, but is primarily devoted to students having uninterrupted writing time. Bring writing paper, pencils or pens. A supply list is available on our web page.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-14	Tu	6:00-7:30pm	Engelke	\$100/\$110	221501-01

Mastering the Art of Writing a Report

Writing for school got you down? Learn how to tackle nonfiction writing with success and have fun doing it. Selecting a topic, constructing paragraphs and correcting grammar & spelling will be covered to make your reports the best ever. Bring writing paper, pencils or pens. A supply list is available on our web page.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-14	. W	5:00-6:30pm	Engelke	\$100/\$110	221502-01
8-14	• Sa	3:30-5:00pm	Engelke	\$100/\$110	221502-02

MIXED MEDIA

Art From Around the World

Students create different projects based on cultures from various continents using a variety of materials. Kite making, weaving and Aboriginal painting are some of the topics used to expose students to a new way of looking at art.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
5-10	Tu	4:00-5:30pm	Reeves	\$78/\$88	221604-01

Big Fun with Knit & Crochet

Crafts reinvented for the modern girl. Use big needles to create a variety of projects in a jiffy: hair accessories, purses, baskets, scarves and ponchos are only the beginning. Learn easy ways to make your creations unique! A supply list is available on our web page and runs \$10. Bring supplies to the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-14	F	4:00-5:30pm	Engelke	\$78/\$88	221606-01

► Calligraphy

Learn the ancient art of writing old traditional letter forms while enjoying fun projects which include lettering. Supplies run \$10.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
11+	W	6:30-8:30pm	Taira	\$122/\$137	221607-01

■ Craft Fun for Adults Workshop

Learn a variety of craft techniques including weaving, origami, macramé, tole painting, fabric printing, woodblock printing, tie dying and batik. Supplies will be discussed at the first class and run \$10-\$15.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Tu	6:30-8:30pm	Taira	\$122/\$137	231602-01

Craft Fun for Youth

Work with paper mache, wood and paper. Decorate and paint tote bags, picture frames and learn some weaving and basket making. Make pop-up cards and monoprints.

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-14	Tu	4:00-5:30pm	Taira	\$78/\$88	221609-01



Exploring Creativity

Everyone has the ability to be creative. Learn to explore and trust your intuitive process through collage, doodling, journaling, found imagery and materials to connect with your inner artist as a means of self-expression. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Tu	9:30-12:00pm	Nagy	\$132/\$147	231603-01

Knitting for You and Your Mom Too

A class where both mom and child can learn a skill reinvented for the modern girl. Learn easy ways to make your creations unique. Fee is per child, no unpaid siblings. A maximum of two children per adult, and two adults per child. A supply list is available on our web page and runs \$10. Bring supplies to the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-14	Th	4:00-5:30pm	Engelke	\$78/\$88	221613-01

My Art Studio

Art to Grow on Children's Art Center, Inc. Program Learn techniques of the Masters through age-appropriate art projects using glitter paint, tempera paint, play dough, collage and watercolors. Parents come join the fun or drop off your child. Fee is per child, no unpaid siblings. A maximum of two children per adult, and two adults per child. A \$15 supply fee is due at the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
3-5	Th	12:00-1:00pm	Staff	\$89/\$99	221614-01
3-5	F	10:45-11:45am	Staff	\$89/\$99	221614-02
3-5	Sa	10:45-11:45am	Staff	\$89/\$99	221614-03

My First Classroom

Art to Grow on Children's Art Center, Inc. Program Utilizing artistic avenues, fine motor skills such as cutting, drawing and writing are introduced along with letter, shape and color recognition. A great learning environment for preschoolers with independent learning and group participation. Parent participation is required. Fee is per child, no unpaid siblings. A maximum of two children per adult, and two adults per child. A \$15 supply fee is due at the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
1 ½ -3	М	10:00-10:50am	Staff	\$89/\$99	221615-01

My Itsy Bitsy Art Studio

Art to Grow on Children's Art Center, Inc. Program
This introductory art class lets students participate at the easels,
collage, drawing and play dough stations. Class focuses on finemotor development. Parent participation is required. Fee is per
child, no unpaid siblings. A maximum of two children per adult and
two adults per child. A \$15 supply fee is due at the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
15mo-	2 Th	9:30-10:15am	Staff	\$89/\$99	221616-01

My Little Art Studio

Art to Grow on Children's Art Center, Inc. Program
Parents join the fun in activities that encourage curiosity, discovery
and self-expression through this art process. Projects include
frames, treasure boxes, masks using glitter paint, tempera paint,
play dough, collage and watercolors. Fee is per child, no unpaid
siblings. A maximum of two children per adult, and two adults per
child. A \$15 supply fee is due at the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
2	Th	10:45-11:35am	Staff	\$89/\$99	221617-01
2	F	9:30-10:20am	Staff	\$89/\$99	221617-02
2	Sa	9:30-10:20am	Staff	\$89/\$99	221617-03

Sewing for Youth

Learn hand and machine sewing, the parts of a machine and basic projects to practice techniques. Some supplies are provided. Bring your own sewing machine.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
11-16	М	4:00-5:30pm	Taira	\$78/\$88	221621-01

■ Sewing Workshop for Adults

Basic hand and machine sewing projects are taught with attention to student's sewing machine and sewing tools. Advanced students bring unfinished projects. Bring your own machine. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	М	6:30-8:30pm	Taira	\$110/\$125	231608-01

HOUTH VALUES STATEMEN,

Youth participating in Community Services Department programs will:

- Respect our leaders, teammates, co-participants, and friends.
- Embrace and welcome diversity of programs, co-participants, options, and opportunities.
- Be responsible for City resources, spaces, and places.
- Follow established rules, and encourage our peers to do the same.
- Embrace and encourage teamwork, participation, honesty and good sportsmanship.
- Communicate with and assist our leaders and coparticipants in case of any incident or emergency.
- Provide feedback on the program to our leaders.



PHOTOGRAPHY

Classes are held at Paul's Photo, 23845 Hawthorne Blvd. (310) 375-7014. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, please see page 4.

Around the World in 80 Pictures

Have a new camera for the summer vacation coming up? Want to make all your friends and family jealous of your trip? Learn tips and techniques for great travel photography before hitting the road.

1 session

Age	Day	Date	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Th	5/22	7:00-9:0pm	Staff	\$35/\$40	231704-01

First Look: Digital Pocket Camera

Step-by-step explanation of the most popular camera settings including both video and still shooting, optical zoom, flash and scene modes. Open to beginning photographers of all skill and interest levels.

1 session

Age	Day	Date	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8+	Sa	4/12	9:00-11:00am	Staff	\$35/\$40	231701-01

First Look: Digital SLR Canon and Nikon

Learn to set up and shoot your Digital Single Lens Reflex (DSLR) camera with ease. Covers the settings and basic menu functions for all Canon and Nikon digital SLR cameras.

1 session

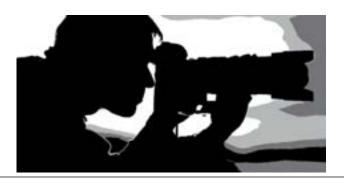
Age	Day	Date	Time	Instruct	or Fee	Class
Canor	Came	eras				
8+	Sa	5/10	9:00-11:00am	Staff	\$35/\$40	231701-11
Nikor	Came	eras				
8+	Sa	5/3	9:00-11:00am	Staff	\$35/\$40	231701-21

■ The "WOW" Pictures

Make your photos "award winners" and your friends jealous! Learn to control lens, flash, exposure and focus and how to make your photos good to GREAT!

1 session

Age	Day	Date	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Su	4/13	1:00-3:00pm	Staff	\$35/\$40	231703-01
18+	М	5/12	7:00-9:00pm	Staff	\$35/\$40	231703-02



Classes begin the week of March 30 and will not meet April 20, May 16, 17, 24, 25 & 26. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. Classes are held at the Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3330 Civic Center Drive. For cancellation policy, please see page 4.

Classes featuring "Dancing with RKDC" are taught by Regina Klenjoski Dance Company. RKDC is a not-for-profit professional arts organization that has been a staple in the South Bay since 1999 and has served over 13,000 participants and patrons through performances and classes. RKDC offers dance and exercise classes led by their distinguished staff of teaching artists and produces the bi-annual "Kids Show" every fall and winter. For more information, contact Regina Klenjoski, Program Director at (310) 292-7024 or Regina@rkdc.org.

RKDC instructors include: Kristin Junge, Kaila Glover, Danae McWatt, Cassandra Richards and Gabriela Simich. For detailed schedule and instructor information, visit www.RKDC.org.

For information on the SuperKids Programs contact Teri Thompson, owner/director at (310) 378-4800 or visit www.SuperKidsFun.com.

See Exercise and Movement for youth and adult dance based exercise classes.

BALLET

Ballet (Dancing with RKDC)

Learn the discipline and form of basic ballet technique and terminology in a creative and welcoming environment. Students will improve upon coordination, alignment/posture, balance, and musicality. Boys and girls are welcome. Attire: leotard and leather ballet shoes. Level 1: beginners and those with some ballet. Level 1&2: previous ballet experience is recommended.

8 weeks

Age	Level	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
5-7	1	W	3:30-4:20pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222101-01
6-8	1&2	W	4:20-5:10pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222101-02
8-12	1&2	W	5:10-6:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222101-03
4-6	1	Sa	12:10-1:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222101-04

■ Basic Ballet for Adults (Dancing with RKDC)

Adults and teenagers learn ballet while developing confidence, mental concentration, physical coordination and grace. This class is for students who are new to ballet and those who have danced before and want to begin again.

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class	
16+	Th	6:00-7:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$99/\$109	232102-01	





Creative Ballet (SuperKids Dance Program)

Students will learn the basic steps and elementary techniques of ballet and apply what they've learned to fun and creative dances. Attire: leotard, tights, and proper leather ballet shoes. *Class has limited visibility to view your children.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
3-5	Tu	9:30-10:20am	SuperKids	\$79/\$89	222104-01
3-5	W	10:15-11:05am	SuperKids	\$79/\$89	222104-02
3-5	Sa*	10:10-11:00am	SuperKids	\$79/\$89	222104-03

Creative Ballet, Parent & Me (SuperKids Dance Program)

Participate with your child in this movement and pre-ballet class. Learn some basic ballet steps while enjoying fun movement activities. Only children who are enrolled may be in the studio, no unpaid siblings or infants. Attire for children: leotard, tights and proper leather ballet shoes. Parents may wear socks or ballet shoes.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
2-3	Tu	10:25-10:55am	SuperKids	\$50/\$55	222105-01
2-3	W	9:45-10:15am	SuperKids	\$50/\$55	222105-02
2-3	Sa	9:30-10:00am	SuperKids	\$50/\$55	222105-03

Modern Ballet (Dancing with RKDC)

This class is a fusion of classical ballet fundamentals and the freedom and expression of lyrical modern dance. No shoes required, dance barefoot to contemporary music of today.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-14	Th	4:10-5:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222107-01

Pre-Ballet (Dancing with RKDC)

Students learn good posture, coordination and rhythm as they express themselves through creative ballet movement games and techniques. Attire: leotard and ballet shoes.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
3-5	Sa	10:10-11:00am	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222108-01

Pre-Ballet, Parent & Me (Dancing with RKDC)

An interactive class for young dancers and their parent or caregiver. Children learn basic ballet through fun, creative movement activities that include stretching, music, props, circle games and tons of fun! Attire for children: leather ballet shoes. Only children who are enrolled may be in the studio, no unpaid siblings or infants.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
2-4	F	9:30-10:00am	RKDC Staff	\$52/\$62	222109-01



COMBINATION DANCE CLASSES

Ballet and Tap (Dancing with RKDC)

Students will learn beginning ballet and tap techniques to apply to fun and creative dance combinations. Dancers will improve upon rhythm, grace, coordination and performance skills. Attire: leotard, tap shoes and proper leather ballet shoes (tights are optional).

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
5-8	М	4:00-4:50pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222201-01
3-5	W	12:30-1:20pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222201-02
3-5	Sa	9:45-10:35am	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222201-03
4-6	Sa	10:45-11:35am	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222201-04

Ballet, Jazz, and Tap (Dancing with RKDC)

Students will learn basic technique and combinations in this funfilled class combining ballet, jazz and tap dance. Attire: tap and jazz or leather ballet shoes.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
4-6	W	3:30-4:20nm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222202-01

Creative Ballet and Tap (SuperKids Dance Program)

Students will learn beginning ballet and tap technique to apply to fun and creative dance combinations. Attire: leotard, tights, proper leather ballet shoes and tap shoes.

8 weeks

Age	Level	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
3-5	1	Tu	11:00-11:50am	SuperKids	\$79/\$89	222204-01
3-5	1	Sa	11:10-12:00pm	SuperKids	\$79/\$89	222204-02
4-6	1	Sa	12:10-1:00pm	SuperKids	\$79/\$89	222204-03
4-6	2	Sa	1·10-2·00nm	SuperKids	\$79/\$89	222204-04

Pre-Ballet and Jazz (Dancing with RKDC) NEW!

Students will learn beginning jazz techniques and ballet fundamentals to apply to fun and creative dance combinations. Dancers will improve upon coordination, musicality, and performance skills. Attire: leotard and proper leather ballet shoes (tights are optional).

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
3-5	W	1:30-2:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$52/\$62	222206-01

X-Factor Dance Project (Dancing with RKDC)

This unique performance group challenges students with dynamic choreography and technique based in modern, jazz and ballet. Students are mentored in stage performance skills and learn a new dance each session. Includes a 45-minute modern ballet class and a 45-minute rehearsal. For more information email Info@RKDC.org or call (310) 292-7024.

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-18	Tu	5:00-6:30pm	RKDC Staff	\$155/\$175	222210-01



CULTURAL DANCE CLASSES

Ballroom Dancing for Couples – Beginning

Fee is per couple. Learn the basic patterns, techniques, and style of the most popular dances and build self confidence on the dance floor. Indicate both dancers' names when registering.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Th	7:00-8:00pm	Rod	\$84/\$94	232301-01

■ Ballroom Dancing for Couples – Beyond Basics

Fee is per couple. For students that have taken beginning and have a familiarity with the basic steps in the Foxtrot, Waltz, Cha Cha, and Rumba. Emphasis is to bring your dance basics to the next level. Indicate both dancers' names when registering.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Th	8:15-9:15pm	Rod	\$84/\$94	232301-11

▶ Belly Dancing

*Prerequisite for Intermediate is previous belly dancing experience. Learn this ancient art, develop a flexible, firm body and have fun. Technique and routines will be taught. Purchase of veil, cymbals and optional hip scarf will be discussed at the first class. Choreography will begin the first day of class.

9 weeks

Age	Level	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
14+	Int*	М	6:00-7:00pm	Costello	\$69/\$79	232303-01
14+	Beg	F	7:00-8:00pm	Costello	\$69/\$79	232303-03
10 w	eeks					
14+	Beg	Tu	8:00-9:00pm	Costello	\$77/\$87	232303-02

▶ Belly Dancing, Tribal Style – Beginning

This class takes steps from the traditional dances of India, Persia, Turkey, the Middle East, North Africa and Spain and then modifies them into a group improvisational setting. Purchase of cymbals will be discussed at the first class. Choreography will begin the first day of class.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
14+	М	7:00-8:00pm	Costello	\$69/\$79	232303-11

▶ Belly Dance, Tribal – Group Improvisation

Come join this class to learn the art of Tribal Belly Dance Improvisation. We will work on dancing in unison as a group without choreography by following a leader's voice/movement cues - an amazing experience for all levels.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
15+	М	8:00-9:00pm	Costello	\$69/\$79	232303-21



▶ Bollywood Dance – Beginning

You've seen it in the movies now learn to do it too! Get into the groove with a sultry warm-up then shimmy and bop like a Bollywood Beauty to the hottest Indian movie soundtracks. Exhilarating fun for everyone!

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
14+	Tu	7:00-8:00pm	Costello	\$69/\$79	232305-01
10 we	eks				
14+	F	6:00-7:00pm	Costello	\$77/\$87	232305-02

Line Dancing - Beginning

Have fun learning the basics of Line Dancing while getting great exercise. Class begins with introductory level dances and moves to more advanced level dance as the session progresses. No partner required.

8 weeks

A	ge	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18	3+	W	6:15-7:15pm	Rod	\$64/\$74	232307-01

Polynesian Dance

Prerequisite for Intermediate and Advanced is competence in previous level and instructor approval is required. Learn dances from Hawaii and Tahiti. Beginners will learn basic Hula steps. Intermediate and Advanced classes will be at a faster pace. **Adults**: Sarongs are optional and may be purchased from the instructor. **Youth**: Grass skirts or sarongs are optional and may be purchased from the instructor. *Class has limited visibility to view your children.

10 weeks

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	Age L	_evel	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
	4-6	Beg	Tu*	3:35-4:25pm	Mann	\$90/\$100	222310-01
	6-16	Beg	Tu*	4:30-5:20pm	Mann	\$90/\$100	222310-02
	3-4	Beg	W	4:30-5:00pm	Mann	\$46/\$51	222310-03
	12-21	Int	W	5:30-6:20pm	Mann	\$90/\$100	222310-04
	7-19	Adv	W	6:30-7:20pm	Mann	\$90/\$100	222310-05
	17+	Beg	Tu	6:35-7:25pm	Mann	\$90/\$100	232310-01
	17+	Int	Tu	7:30-8:20pm	Mann	\$90/\$100	232310-02
	17+	Adv	Tu	8:30-9:20pm	Mann	\$90/\$100	232310-03
	17+	Adv	W	7:30-8:20pm	Mann	\$95/\$105	232310-04

■ Salsa & Merengue Dancing – Beginning

Learn basic steps as well as turns, how to lead and follow and how to dance with the music. No partner required.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Th	6:00-6:55pm	Rod	\$64/\$74	232312-01

Scottish Dance

Learn this vigorous forerunner of American Square and Contra dancing. This is a fun way to exercise in a group social setting. Attend monthly dances. No partners necessary. Wear soft-soled shoes.

Age Level Day			Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
14+	Beg	F	7:00-8:15pm	Rennie	\$77/\$87	232313-01
14+	Int	F	8:30-9:45pm	Rennie	\$77/\$87	232313-02



Swing, East Coast – Beginning & Beyond

Class provides a chance to learn the current popular triple swing and jitterbug dances. Learn all the basics along with additional patterns. Special emphasis will be placed on styling and technique. No partner required.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	W	7:20-8:20pm	Rod	\$64/\$74	232316-01

JAZZ AND HIP HOP

B-boy/B-girl Hip Hop (Dancing with RKDC)

For boys and girls, this class is an introduction to locking and popping, and the acrobatic and creative freestyle of the hip hop genre. Learn the basics and pick up some hip moves in a safe environment. Sneakers are recommended.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
7-12	Th	4:40-5:30pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222402-01

Boys Hip Hop Funk (Dancing with RKDC)

An exciting introduction to hip hop and funk specifically designed for boys. Boys can exert some energy while they stretch and gain coordination skills through exciting dance combinations. Sneakers are required.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
5-7	Th	3:45-4:35pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222403-01

Hip Hop - Beg/Int (Dancing with RKDC)

This upbeat class is for dancers wanting to explore the dynamic and extremely rhythmic style of hip hop dance. Dance to today's hottest tunes! Class consists of age appropriate movement and music. Sneakers are required.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
7-14	Tu	4:10-5:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222406-01
13-18	F	5:00-6:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$99/\$109	222406-02

Hip Hop/Jazz (Dancing with RKDC)

In this fast-paced and fun class students will use hip hop and jazz to develop their coordination, rhythm, flexibility and self-expression. Class consists of age appropriate movement and music geared to boys and girls. Jazz shoes or sneakers are required. *Class has limited visibility to view your children.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
5-7	Sa*	11:45-12:35pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222408-01
8-14	Sa	12:45-1:35pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222408-02



Tiny Tots Hip Hop (Dancing with RKDC)

Young students have fun as they explore rhythm and develop coordination, through simple movement combinations and games in this energetic dance style. Sneakers are required. *Class has limited visibility to view your children.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
3-5	Tu	2:30-3:20pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222409-01
3-5	Sa*	11:10-12:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$84/\$94	222409-02

Tiny Tots Hip Hop, Parent & Me (Dancing with RKDC)

An interactive class for young dancers and their parent or caregiver. Children explore rhythm and develop coordination through movement, games and exercises that include stretching, props, combinations and upbeat music. Only children who are enrolled may be in the studio, no unpaid siblings or infants.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
2-4	F	10:00-10:30am	RKDC Staff	\$52/\$62	222410-01

TAP DANCING

■ Tap Dance Workshop

NEW!

Prerequisite: competence in previous level. For the more independent dancers who want to work on steps and routines under the vocal direction of the instructor who will teach using verbal cues. Students must have knowledge of steps, techniques and vocabulary. Snug comfortable fitting tap shoes are required at the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Level	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
16+	Int 1	Tu	6:00-6:50pm	Neal	\$61/\$71	232501-01
16+	Int 2	Th	5:00-5:50pm	Neal	\$61/\$71	232501-02

YOUTH VALUES STATEMEN,

Youth participating in Community Services Department programs will:

- Respect our leaders, teammates, co-participants, and friends.
- Embrace and welcome diversity of programs, co-participants, options, and opportunities.
- Be responsible for City resources, spaces, and places.
- Follow established rules, and encourage our peers to do the same.
- Embrace and encourage teamwork, participation, honesty and good sportsmanship.
- Communicate with and assist our leaders and coparticipants in case of any incident or emergency.
- Provide feedback on the program to our leaders.

■ Adults ■ Youth ▶ Youth+Adults

Classes begin the week of March 30 and will not meet April 20, May 16, 17, 24, 25 & 26. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. Classes are held at the Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3330 Civic Center Drive. For cancellation policy, please see page 4.

Students must provide their own mats and weights as needed. We recommend that those over 35, pregnant, or in poor health should seek a doctor's approval before enrolling.

COMBINATION EXERCISES

Arms, Abs and Thighs

This 30 minute fast-paced, focused workout will strengthen and tone your arms, abs and thighs. Bring a mat and light hand weights.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Th	10:35-11:05am	Guinchard	\$26/\$31	233101-01

■ Back to Basics Boot Camp

Want to burn calories? This intense total body workout incorporates cardiovascular, strength, flexibility and core training geared toward increasing your stamina and toning your body. Workouts include push-ups, jumping jacks, squats, lunges and other basic exercises. Beginners are welcome, work at your own pace. Bring hand weights, mat and water.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	M/W	9:45-10:45am	Warrior	\$88/\$98	233102-01
18+	Tu	8:30-9:30am	Warrior	\$44/\$49	233102-02
18+	Th	8:30-9:30am	Warrior	\$44/\$49	233102-03

■ Cardio/Strength Conditioning – All Levels

Combination class features cardio and strength training for a total workout. Easy cardio moves sculpt and tone major muscle groups. A relaxing stretch leaves you feeling refreshed, ready for your weekend! Bring a mat and light hand weights.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
16+	Sa	8:30-9:30am	Hohman	\$53/\$63	233103-01

■ Circuit Training – All Levels

Target core muscles to achieve fitness benefits, strength, flexibility, balance and increase metabolism. This multi-activity workout may include the use of light hand weights, resistance training, kickboxing and more. Men & Women are welcome. Bring a mat and light hand weights.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	W	5:30-6:00pm	Durish	\$32/\$37	233104-01

Healthy Start – Beginning

NEW!

Want to join an exercise class, but not sure where to start? This program is a basic introduction to step aerobics. Moves are learned first on the floor and later adding the step. Intensity increases over the course of the class. Bring a mat and light hand weights.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
16+	Tu/Th	7:35-8:25pm	Karwowski	\$86/\$96	233108-01

EXERCISE & MOVEMENT

■ Shape and Strength – All Levels

NEW!

In this conditioning class you will safely gain fitness through resistance training, balance, stretch, and relaxation for a healthier you. We'll have fun and you will feel great! Bring a mat and light hand weights.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	M/W/F	9:00-10:00am	Wvatt	\$117/\$132	233110-01

Slow Morning Exercise - Beginning

Learn to relax, breathe and stretch properly while elongating muscles. Improve posture and gently begin the day with this class. May include stretching while sitting in a chair. A great class for all ages. Bring a towel, mat and a small blanket.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
16+	Tu/Th	8:30-9:20am	Ferren	\$118/\$133	233112-01

■ Step and Circuit

Use a wide step platform for aerobics to burn calories, then do circuit exercises on the floor to sculpt muscles. Circuit exercises increase metabolism, build strength and increase muscle mass. Work at your own pace on or off the step. Bring a mat and light hand weights.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	M/W	4:30-5:30pm	Durish	\$86/\$96	233115-01
18+	Tu/Th	5:30-6:30pm	Durish	\$86/\$96	233115-02

■ Step and Sculpt

Use a wide step platform for aerobics to burn calories, then anaerobics to tone and sculpt muscles. Burn fat, increase metabolism, improve strength & definition and increase lean muscle mass. Work at your own pace on or off the step. Bring a mat and light hand weights.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
16+	M/W	7:00-8:00nm	Karwowski	\$86/\$96	233116-01

■ Step into Fitness - All Levels

Low impact fun workout with variety of fresh "CAN DO" moves; stretching, strength training, cardio, hand weights, plus many fitness benefits. Always changing up for low boredom and high energy fun. Bring a mat and light hand weights.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	M/W/F	8:00-9:00am	Wyatt	\$117/\$132	233117-01

■ Tai Chi Chuan

Ken Miller Recreation Center

Release tension through the moving meditation of Tai Chi Chuan, an ancient Chinese discipline for physical fitness and well being with slow, circular, peaceful movements.

Age Level Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+ Beg M	7:30-8:30pm	White Crane	\$50/\$55	233120-01
18+ Review M	6:30-7:30pm	White Crane	\$50/\$55	233120-02
18+ Int/Adv M	7:30-8:30pm	White Crane	\$50/\$55	233120-03





EXERCISE & MOVEMENT

DANCE STYLE EXERCISES

■ Cardio Tap

NEW!

Cardio Tap will be a non-stop tap experience and a GREAT way to keep fit! For a full 30 minutes tap to a high impact rhythm. This class is for intermediate tappers, not for beginners. Tap, move, and burn calories!

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	М	11·30-12·00nm	Guinchard	\$26/\$31	233202-01

■ Dance into Shape

Work on dances to the newest music while working on your waistline. Warm up, short routines, floor work, and a great workout while you dance your way to a healthy you!

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	F	10·15-11·15am	Guinchard	\$52/\$62	233204-01

■ Dance 4 Fitness Workshop

NEW!

Designed for those 30+ with dance experience. Class includes barre, across the floor, and dance combinations that will build on jazz and contemporary routines. It's okay if you haven't danced in a while. Jazz or ballet shoes are required.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
30+	Th	11:15-12:05pm	Guinchard	\$52/\$62	233206-01

■ Dance Movement for Mind and Body

Conditioning for women over 35 who want to strengthen their bodies, mind and spirit through fluid dance movements. No floor work or high impact activity. This class promotes flexibility, weight loss and balance. Bring light hand weights.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
35+	М	9:30-10:20am	Guinchard	\$57/\$67	233205-01

■ Salsa/Latin Dance Workout

Get a great cardio workout while dancing Salsa and other Latin dance moves. Class is a fun way to get into shape! It is not necessary to know how to dance. This is a low to medium impact class for everyone.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Th	9:30-10:30am	Guinchard	\$52/\$62	233208-01

■ Tap Into Shape

This is a tap-based workout for adults at all levels. Get fit through tap with an up-to-date twist on traditional tap techniques. Dance warm up, tap barre work, center work and tap combinations are performed to today's music.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	М	10:30-11:20am	Guinchard	\$52/\$62	233210-01



■ World Dance Workout

High impact cardio dance workout designed to burn calories and fat. Includes dance styles from around the world such as Caribbean, Afrocanz, Latin, hip hop, "Old School," etc. and arms, abs, thighs workout. Consists of a warm-up, dance workout, and a cool down.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	W	6:45-7:45pm	Guinchard	\$52/\$62	233212-01

NOONTIME EXERCISES

■ Barre/Dance Workout

NEW!

This 30 minute class will consists of barre strengthening with weights. No floor work or high impact activity. Repetitive dance movements will bring you a lean long body and strengthen your core. Bring light hand weights.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	М	12:15-12:45pm	Guinchard	\$26/\$31	233201-71

► Yoga, Mid Day Break - All Levels

Enjoy $\overline{40}$ minutes of stretching, breathing, classic yoga poses, and relaxation. You will be able to continue your afternoon activity with renewed energy. Bring a yoga mat.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
14+	W	12:10-12:50pm	Coles	\$45/\$50	233304-71

► Zumba Afternoon Break – All Levels

This class is for anyone & everyone! The most dynamic, exciting, and effective fitness system that fuses Latin & International music with easy to follow movement patterns. "Ditch the workout and join the party!" Burn fat, calories and have fun!

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
14+	Tu	12:15-12:45pm	Garcia	\$32/\$37	233401-71
14+	Th	12:15-12:45pm	Garcia	\$32/\$37	233401-72



EXERCISE & MOVEMENT

PILATES AND YOGA

■ Pilates - Mixed Level (RKDC Program)

This mat class focuses on strength, precision, and flow of movement. Exercises are presented at multiple levels allowing students to work at any pace. Learn breathing patterns, and spinal alignment while engaging the deep core muscles. Bring a mat.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
16+	Tu	6:30-7:30nm	RKDC Staff	\$99/\$109	233302-01

▶ Prime of Life Yoga – Beginning

Yoga can help navigate the physical and emotional changes associated with midlife and allow one to age gracefully, healthfully, and actively. Routines will include general conditioning to midlifers, and even younger folks who want to ease back into physical activity. Bring a yoga mat.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
14+	W	10:45-12:00pm	Coles	\$83/\$93	233304-01
14+	Th	8:00-9:15pm	Coles	\$83/\$93	233304-02

► Yoga - Continuing

The ancient practice of Hatha Yoga enables you to reduce stress, slim and tone the body, and learn proper breathing. Slow the aging process, gain flexibility and enjoy a surge of renewed energy balancing the body and mind. Bring a yoga mat.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
14+	М	6:45-8:00pm	Coles	\$75/\$85	233304-11
14+	М	8:05-9:20pm	Coles	\$75/\$85	233304-12
10 we	eks				
14+	Tu/Th	8:00-8:45am	Coles	\$105/\$120	233304-13
14+	Tu	9:15-10:30am	Coles	\$83/\$93	233304-14
14+	W	9:15-10:30am	Coles	\$83/\$93	233304-15
14+	W	8:00-9:15pm	Coles	\$83/\$93	233304-16
14+	Th	9:15-10:30am	Coles	\$83/\$93	233304-17
14+	Th	6:40-7:55pm	Coles	\$83/\$93	233304-18

Yogalates – All Levels (RKDC Program)

Can't decide between Yoga and Pilates? Then try Yogalates! A fusion of the ancient discipline of yoga with the modern Pilates techniques. This combination results in a class that both strengthens the core and stretches and elongates muscles. Bring a yoga mat.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
16+	М	5:40-6:40pm	RKDC Staff	\$99/\$109	233306-01
16+	Sa	9:00-10:00am	RKDC Staff	\$99/\$109	233306-02

ZUMBA CLASSES

Zumba − All Levels

This class is for anyone & everyone! The most dynamic, exciting, and effective fitness system that fuses Latin & International music with easy to follow movement patterns. "Ditch the workout and join the party!" Burn fat, calories and have fun.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
14+	Sa	8:15-9:15am	Garcia	\$53/\$63	233401-05
9 wee	ks				
14+	М	6:00-7:00pm	Thompson	\$59/\$69	233401-01
10 we	eks				
14+	Tu	5:00-6:00pm	Thompson	\$66/\$76	233401-02
14+	W	8:30-9:30am	Warrior	\$66/\$76	233401-03
14+	Th	6:00-7:00pm	Warrior	\$66/\$76	233401-04

► Zumba Combo

NEW!

Tired of the same routines? Try something new! This class incorporates elements of Zumba, Zumba Toning, and Zumba Sentao. By transforming your chair into a sizzling dance partner, the explosive Zumba Sentao Program strengthens your core, burns calories, and sculpts muscles.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
14+	W	5:55-6:55pm	Averbukh	\$66/\$76	233401-21

► Zumba Gold – Beginning

Designed for individuals and active seniors who want to join the fitness party! Perfect if you are just starting or continuing your journey to be fit. Same great music and movements as Zumba just low impact, slower pace, and easier to follow.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
14+	М	8:30-9:30am	Warrior	\$59/\$69	233401-11

Zumbatomics NEW!

Fuses Salsa, Latin and International music with easy to follow high energy workouts designed for kids for fun and fitness. Helps develop a healthy lifestyle, incorporating dance, music, and games to teach creativity, coordination, balance, confidence and more. Wear comfortable clothes and sneakers.

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-13	F	5:00-6:00pm	Warrior	\$76/\$86	223402-01





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For information on the SuperKids Programs contact Teri Thompson, owner/director at (310) 378-4800 or visit www.SuperKidsFun.com.

SuperKids CheerKids

Learn the FUNdamentals of cheerleading the SuperKids way and build self-confidence. Participants will learn routines, cheers and tumbling skills such as cartwheels, front rolls, and lead up skills for back hand springs and walk over's. New lesson plans each session.

9 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
5-8	F	4:00-4:50pm	Staff	\$103/\$118	223801-01

SuperKids Developmental Gymnastics – Beg/Int

Cartwheels, handstands, balance beam, vault and bar stunts are just a few things taught in this fun class. Instructors are positive, caring, and energetic. New lesson plans each session. We have taught thousands of children their first cartwheel!

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
3-5	Su	10:00-10:50am	Staff	\$92/\$102	223802-01
5-8	Su	11:00-11:50am	Staff	\$92/\$102	223802-02
9 wee	ks				
3-5	М	11:45-12:35pm	Staff	\$103/\$118	223802-03
10 we	eks				
3-5	Tu	1:30-2:20pm	Staff	\$115/\$130	223802-04
3-5	Tu	2:30-3:20pm	Staff	\$115/\$130	223802-05
5-8	Tu	3:30-4:20pm	Staff	\$115/\$130	223802-06
5-8	Th	3:30-4:20pm	Staff	\$115/\$130	223802-07
3-5	Th	4:30-5:20pm	Staff	\$115/\$130	223802-08

SuperKids Family Gym

One price for whole family! Parents assist children while they learn basic gymnastics, balance, and coordination skills with lively music and colorful equipment. New lesson plans each session. Siblings may attend but activities are most suited for 2-5 year olds.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
2-5	Sa	11:45-12:35pm	Staff	\$120/\$135	223803-01

SuperKids Parent and Me Gym

Fee is for one child and parent. Learn to assist your child in basic gymnastics, balance and coordination skills with our lively music and colorful equipment. In addition, your child will learn coordination skills using balls, hoops, parachute, scooters and more. New lesson plans each session.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
2-4	Sa	9:45-10:35am	Staff	\$92/\$102	223804-02
2-4	Sa	10:45-11:35am	Staff	\$92/\$102	223804-03
9 wee	ks				
2-4	М	10:45-11:35am	Staff	\$103/\$118	223804-01

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PROGRAM

Classes begin the week of March 30 and will not meet April 7-11 and May 26. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, please see page 4.

Requirements for Parents: Parents must attend a parent meeting held during the last 30 minutes of the first day of class. We encourage parents to volunteer 2-3 days during the session. If you would like to volunteer, complete the ECE Volunteer Application Form online at www.TorranceCA.Gov/VolunteerProgram.htm. Volunteers will need to complete livescan fingerprinting and provide proof of a negative TB test from your doctor.

Requirements for children: Children must be completely toilet trained before registering. Proof of age and a negative TB skin test must be presented at the parent meeting. Students enrolled in the winter session will have priority registration for the spring session.

Lollipop Tree is a developmental class that provides children with an opportunity to discover their world through play, imagination, hands-on-art and music, and provides a foundation for future learning.

Fun & Friends builds on the skills learned in the Lollipop Tree class and/or gradually introduces children to a more structured environment. Field trips are introduced as part of this fun adventure.

Kinder Klass is a fun and structured environment and designed to prepare children for kindergarten. Field trips are a part of this fun and exciting program. Parents are encouraged to volunteer in the classroom. Students must be 4 years old by October 1, 2013.

Greenwood Park-Central Torrance

XL	ollipo	p Tree	9	weeks	
3-4	Tu /Th	9:00-11:00am	Claire	\$212/\$232	224101-01
★ F	un & l	Friends		9	weeks
3½-5	M/W/F	9:00-11:30am	Cindy	\$324/\$344	224102-01
XK	inder	9	weeks		
4-5	M-Th	9:00-11:30am	Tammy	\$443/\$463	224103-01

McMaster Park-North Torrance

Due to construction at McMaster Park, this program will temporarily re-locate to La Romeria Park, 19501 Inglewood Ave.

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3½-5 M/W/F 9:00-11:30am

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3-4	Tu/Th	9:00-11:00am	LaDonna	\$212/\$232	224101-02
★ F	un & l	Friends		9	weeks

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224102-02

INFANTS, TODDLERS & PRESCHOOLERS

FAMILY FUN-TIME

Classes begin the week of March 30 and will not meet May 24 & 26. See your instructor for make-ups. Fee is per family. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. Classes are held at Greenwood Park, 1520 Greenwood Avenue. For cancellation policy, please see page 4.

Family Fun-Time is a movement education program for children and parents. Parents are asked to bring juice or snack to share for one class. Children with disabilities are welcome.

Infants

Use soft, colorful equipment to increase baby's strength and flexibility. Infants need 6-week "well baby checkup" by the first

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
6 wks-walking	Tu	11:30-12:30pm	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224201-01
6 wks-walking	W	11:30-12:30pm	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224201-02
6 wks-walking	Sa	11:30-12:30pm	Roberta	\$88/\$98	224201-03

Toddlers & Preschoolers

Use balance beams, parachutes and colorful soft equipment to explore motor development.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
12-24mos	М	10:15-11:15am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-01
12-24mos	Tu	9:00-10:00am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-02
12-24mos	F	9:00-10:00am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-03
12-36mos	Tu	5:45-6:45pm	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-11
12-36mos	W	1:00-2:00pm	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-12
12-36mos	Th	9:30-10:30am	Selina	\$88/\$98	224202-13
24-36mos	М	9:00-10:00am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-21
24-36mos	Tu	10:15-11:15am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-22
24-36mos	W	9:00-10:00am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-23
24-36mos	F	10:15-11:15am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-24
24-48mos	Th	10:45-11:45am	Selina	\$88/\$98	224202-31
24-48mos	F	11:30-12:30pm	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-32
36-59mos	Tu	6:45-7:45pm	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-41
36-59mos	W	10:15-11:15am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-42

Music & Movement

Start your class with a session in the music room and finish up in the activity room for movement fun. Classes are taught by Les, Roberta and Selina.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Fee	Class
6wks-walking	Sa	11:30-12:30pm	\$88/\$98	224210-01
12-24mos	Sa	10:30-11:30am	\$88/\$98	224210-02
12-36mos	Th	5:45-6:45pm	\$88/\$98	224210-03
12-36mos	Sa	12:30-1:30pm	\$88/\$98	224210-04
24-36mos	Sa	9:30-10:30am	\$88/\$98	224210-05
36-60mos	Th	6:45-7:45pm	\$88/\$98	224210-06
36-60mos	Sa	8:30-9:30am	\$88/\$98	224210-07

Baby Sign Time - ASL

Enjoy the regular Fun-time class and learn some signs to teach your baby to encourage early communication.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
12wks-walking	W	3:00-4:00pm	Sherri	\$88/\$98	224220-01
12wks-walking	Sa	1:30-2:30pm	Sherri	\$88/\$98	224220-02

Family Fun Sign - ASL

For families with Deaf children, Deaf parents of hearing children, or hearing families who want to experience a wonderful parent/child class and learn sign with their families. Use balance beams, parachutes and colorful soft equipment to explore motor development. These classes are taught in ASL and English. Children with disabilities are welcome!

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
12-36mos	W	4:00-5:00pm	Sherri	\$88/\$98	224220-11
12-36mos	Sa	12:30-1:30pm	Sherri	\$88/\$98	224220-12
36-60mos	W	5:00-6:00pm	Sherri	\$88/\$98	224220-21
36-60mos	Sa	2:30-3:30pm	Sherri	\$88/\$98	224220-22



Martial Arts Charter Clubs www.TorranceCA.Gov/TCAC/4599.htm

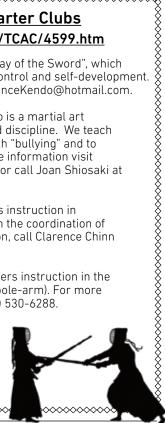
Kendo Charter Club teaches the "Way of the Sword", which includes mental and physical self-control and self-development. For more information, contact TorranceKendo@hotmail.com.

South Bay Judo Charter Club - Judo is a martial art which develops "inner" strength and discipline. We teach the fundamentals of judo to help with "bullying" and to be able to protect yourself. For more information visit www.SouthBayJudo.shutterfly.com or call Joan Shiosaki at (310) 212-6158.

Torrance Aikido Charter Club offers instruction in contemporary martial arts based on the coordination of mind and body. For more information, call Clarence Chinn (310) 938-2381.

Torrance Naginata Charter Club offers instruction in the traditional martial art of Naginata (pole-arm). For more information, call Helen Nakano (310) 530-6288.





MARTIAL ARTS

KOREAN MARTIAL ARTS WITH GRAND MASTER WOONG LEE

Classes begin the week of March 30 and are held at the World Vision Martial Arts Academy, 22543 Hawthorne Blvd. (310) 373-9007. Fees listed represent the cost for resident/non-residents. For cancellation policy, please see page 4.

Notify your instructor of your class choice at the first class. This is a beginning program with no belt testing. Uniforms are required and may be purchased at the studio for \$35.

► **Hapkido** is a combination of kicks, point locks, boxing, Kumdo and Tai Chi including ancient martial arts philosophy & technique and utilizes the principles of Anatomy and Kinesiology to maximize body energy and provide a solid basis for individual self-defense.

➤ Tae Kwon Do (TKD) is an ancient Korean art of self-defense, but also a philosophy, which develops a smart mind, a caring heart and a strong body. Classes will increase self-confidence, coordination, self-control and concentration, while focusing on self-defense.

Session I begins the week of March 30 Session II begins the week of April 27

4 weel	ks			\$80/\$90
Age	Day	Time	Session I	Session II
4-7	M/W	3:00-3:50pm	255101-01	255101-21
4-12	M/W	4:00-4:50pm	255101-02	255101-22
4-12	M/W	5:00-5:50pm	255101-03	255101-23
6-60	M/W	6:00-6:50pm	255101-04	255101-24
13+	M/W	7:00-7:50pm	255101-05	255101-25
4-12	Tu/Th	4:00-4:50pm	255101-06	255101-26
4-12	Tu/Th	5:00-5:50pm	255101-07	255101-27
4-12	Tu/Th	6:00-6:50pm	255101-08	255101-28
10-60	Tu/Th	7:00-7:50pm	255101-09	255101-29

8 weeks \$80/\$90

Age	Day	Time	Class
4-12	Sa	9:00-9:50am	255101-41
13+	Sa	10:00-10:50am	255101-42

Special Offer! 255101-80 \$80/\$90

Register for this class and attend 8 classes any time during the 8 week session. Enrollees may attend any of the 4 week classes listed above as long as they are age appropriate. Create a schedule that works best for you.



MARTIAL ARTS WITH GRAND MASTER DON WORTMAN

Classes begin the week of March 30 and are held at Kukkido Martial Arts Studio, 4463 Torrance Blvd. (310) 370-3500 or Kukkido West, 2301 Artesia Blvd., Redondo Beach (310) 371-5350. Comfortable work-out clothes and shoes are recommended when uniforms are not required. For cancellation policy, please see page 4.

Cardio Kickboxing includes blocking, punches, strikes, stretching and calisthenics with motivating instruction and invigorating music. Kick and jab your way to fitness!

4 weeks, attend any two classes per week

Age	Day	Time	Location	Fee	Class
15+	Tu/Th	7:30-8:30pm	Redondo	\$80/\$90	255201-01
	W	7:30-8:30pm	Torrance		
	Sa	9:00-10:00am	Torrance		

Filipino Martial Arts (Kali, Arnis, Eskrima) teaches a way to exercise while learning how to protect yourself. Learn how to use a single stick, double stick and other empty-hand tactics against an unarmed assailant. Mandatory equipment is \$30.

4 weeks, attend any two classes per week

Age	Day	Time	Location	Fee	Class
15+	Tu/Th	8:30-9:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255203-01
	Sa	12:00-1:30nm	Torrance		

► Hapkido Korean Self- Defense is a form of self-defense that employs joint locks, pressure points, throws, kicks and other strikes. Practitioners train to counter the techniques of other martial arts and common unskilled attacks. Mandatory uniforms are \$40.

4 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Location	Fee	Class
15+	M/W	8:30-9:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255205-01

► Kukkido Taekwondo teaches basic Taekwondo skills and coordination while students learn punches, kicks, blocks and stances in the form of structured drills and games as well as developing strength, coordination, flexibility and balance. Self-control, discipline and respect are the foundation of our teaching. This is a Belt Program and uniforms are included.

4 weeks, attend any two classes per week

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Age	Day	Time	Location	Fee	Class
3-4	M/W	3:40-4:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-01
5-10	M/W	4:35-5:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-02
5-10	M/W	5:00-6:00pm	Redondo Beach	\$80/\$90	255207-03
5-10	Tu/Th	5:00-6:00pm	Redondo Beach	\$80/\$90	255207-04
9-16	M/W/F	6:00-7:00pm	Redondo Beach	\$80/\$90	255207-05
11-16	Tu/Th	6:35-7:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-06
17+	Tu/Th	7:35-8:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-07
8 wee	ks				
5-10	Sa	10:00-11:00am	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-11
11+	Sa	1:00-2:00pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-12

▶ Woman's Streetwise Self-Defense is a combination of many fighting styles and taught as a self-defense program designed for the specific needs of women. Women learn how to protect themselves from a single unarmed assailant (basic self-defense course) armed assailants and multiple assailants.

Age	Day	Time	Location	Fee	Class
15+	Sa	11:00-12:00pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255209-01



Classes begin the week of March 30 and will not meet April 20, May 16, 17, 24, 25 & 26. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. Classes are held at the Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3330 Civic Center Drive. For cancellation policy, please see page 4.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Drums 'R' Fun

Learn basic techniques of drumming from a professional musician, including proper grip positions, hand/wrist development, sight reading, hand/foot coordination, rudimental training, and drum set techniques. Students will have the opportunity to play on a drum set. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8+	М	8:30-9:30pm	Giachello	\$80/\$90	255501-01

₩ Guitar

Students must provide their own guitar (electric guitars are okay). **Beginning:** Students will learn basic note reading and chords. No experience required. **Intermediate:** continuation of Beginning. Students must have taken Beginning and know chords. Students will continue to work on technique at a more advanced level.

8 weeks

Age Level Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
10-16 Beg Th	4:30-5:25pm	Tomich	\$80/\$90	255502-01
10-16 Int Th	5:30-6:25pm	Tomich	\$80/\$90	255502-02

☑ Guitar – Beginning/Intermediate

Students must provide their own guitar (acoustic or electric guitars are okay). Students will learn beginning and intermediate techniques of the guitar along with basic cords, strum patterns and simple melodies.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-14	Sa	2:00-2:50pm	Ellis	\$80/\$90	255502-11

► Guitar, Acoustic

Bring your own guitar. Students will play the guitar after a few lessons. Techniques for playing scales, basic cords, strum patterns and simple melodies will be taught.

8 weeks

Age	Leve	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
12+	Int	Tu	6:30-7:45pm	Ruiz	\$85/\$95	255502-21
8-11	Beg	W	4:00-5:15pm	Ruiz	\$85/\$95	255502-22
12+	Beg	W	6:00-7:15pm	Ruiz	\$85/\$95	255502-23

Piano for Preschoolers

Introduction to the piano for preschoolers. Parent must accompany child in class. A book list is available on our web page; bring books to the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Day Time		Instructor	Fee	Class	
4-6	F	2:00-2:50pm	Ellis	\$100/\$110	255506-01	



Piano for Seniors & Adults - Beg/Int

For those who thought they would never learn to play piano and those who haven't played in a while, this class is for you. A book list will be noted on your receipt. Bring books to the first class.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
44+	Tu	12:00-12:50pm	VanBuren	\$100/\$110	255507-01
44+	Tu	1:00-1:50pm	VanBuren	\$100/\$110	255507-02
44+	Th	12:00-12:50pm	VanBuren	\$100/\$110	255507-03
44+	Th	1:00-1:50pm	VanBuren	\$100/\$110	255507-04

▶ Piano I – Beginning/Intermediate

Learn to read notes in both clefs', basic techniques and play simple songs. Acoustic or electronic piano with full-size keys for home practice is required. Includes 10 minutes of private instruction and 40 minutes of practice time on electronic keyboards. A book list is available on our web page; bring books to the first class.

8 weeks

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Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
6+	Su	9:00-9:50am	Ellis	\$100/\$110	255510-01
6+	Su	10:00-10:50am	Ellis	\$100/\$110	255510-02
6+	Su	11:00-11:50am	Ellis	\$100/\$110	255510-03
6+	Su	12:00-12:50pm	Ellis	\$100/\$110	255510-04
6+	Su	1:00-1:50pm	Ellis	\$100/\$110	255510-05
6-18	М	4:00-4:50pm	Kraszewski	\$100/\$110	255510-06
8-16	М	5:00-5:50pm	Kraszewski	\$100/\$110	255510-07
8-16	М	6:00-6:50pm	Kraszewski	\$100/\$110	255510-08
8-16	М	7:00-7:50pm	Kraszewski	\$100/\$110	255510-09
4-18	Tu	2:00-2:50pm	VanBuren	\$100/\$110	255510-10
4-18	Tu	3:00-3:50pm	VanBuren	\$100/\$110	255510-11
4-18	Tu	4:00-4:50pm	VanBuren	\$100/\$110	255510-12
4-18	Tu	5:00-5:50pm	VanBuren	\$100/\$110	255510-13
5+	F	3:00-3:50pm	Ellis	\$100/\$110	255510-14
6+	F	4:00-4:50pm	Ellis	\$100/\$110	255510-15
6+	F	5:00-5:50pm	Munoz	\$100/\$110	255510-16
6+	F	6:00-6:50pm	Munoz	\$100/\$110	255510-17
6+	F	7:00-7:50pm	Munoz	\$100/\$110	255510-18
8-16	Sa	10:00-10:50am	Kraszewski	\$100/\$110	255510-19
8-16	Sa	11:00-11:50am	Kraszewski	\$100/\$110	255510-20
8-16	Sa	12:00-12:50pm	Kraszewski	\$100/\$110	255510-21
8-16	Sa	1:00-1:50pm	Kraszewski	\$100/\$110	255510-22

▶ Ukulele

Students will learn basic chords and strum patterns. These basic techniques will be applied to simple and fun songs.

Age	Level	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8+	Beg	Sa	3:00-3:50pm	Ellis	\$80/\$90	255512-01
8+	Beg/Int	Sa	4:00-4:50pm	Ellis	\$80/\$90	255512-02



CANINE ACTIVITES

Dog Agility

Entradero Park, 5500 Towers St.

Handlers and dogs that are new to the sport of Dog Agility must attend a free Tryout on Sunday, March 23 anytime from 12:00-3:00pm.

Dogs learn to jump hurdles, traverse seesaws, climb A-frames, run through tunnels, walk planks, and more! Dogs must be 6 months or older, easily controlled on leash, and accept handling by strangers. Dogs should be able to "down" and "sit" on command, "come" when called and "stay." Instructor will assign 1 hour class times based on dog's level. Beginners meet from 11:00-12:00pm.

10 weeks begins March 30

Age	Day Time		Instructor	Fee	Class
16+	Su	11:00-4:00pm	Moray	\$150/\$165	236601-01

Dog Obedience Charter Club of Torrance conducts Tuesday night classes year round at Walteria Park. Dog owners must be at least 16 years of age and the dog must be six months or older and on a leash. For more information, and to confirm the exact class dates, visit www.docot.org or call the instructor Rick Jacoby, after 5:30pm (310) 329-0202.

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

Community Emergency Response Training (CERT)

Torrance Fire Station 1, 1701 Crenshaw Blvd.

The CERT basic training course provides community members with the basic skills and information needed to be prepared for, and respond to, emergencies and disasters. The course is limited to Torrance residents and business members of the Torrance Community (proof of residency or proof of employment is required to enroll). Participants must provide current proof of Torrance residency. Upon successful completion of the session, participants will receive a certificate of completion, a basic emergency supplies kit, and the opportunity to become a registered Disaster Services Volunteer with the City of Torrance.

Course topics include Disaster Preparedness, Disaster Fire Suppression, Disaster Medical Operations, Light Search & Rescue, Team Organization and a Disaster Simulation. Participants MUST attend all classes in the session to complete the course.

All students must take and complete the 2 FEMA mandated online course study and tests by Thursday, February 20 at: www. TorranceCA.Gov/DSV_Safety/. On the first page of the tests you must choose: Torrance Police, then DSV then CERT.

Registration begins February 3. To register for this program call the Community Services Registration Office (310) 618-2720.

3 consecutive days

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Age	Day	Date	Time	Fee	Class
18+	F	2/28	6:00-10:00pm	Free	136602-01
	Sa	3/1	8:00-5:00pm		
	Su	3/2	8:00-5:00pm		

SIGN LANGUAGE

American Sign Language – Beginning I & II

Torrance Cultural Art's Center, 3330 Civic Center Dr Learn basic signs, alphabet, numbers, phrases, sentences and many other commonly used words. A book list is available on our web page. Bring the book to the first class. Children ages 6-9 may enroll with a paid adult.

9 weeks, begins April 4

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
9+	F	6:30-8:00pm	Barch	\$86/\$96	256601-01

SPRING FUN CAMPS

Greenwood Park. 1520 Greenwood Ave.

The Parent/Guardian and Participant Handbook is also available here. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. Campers should wear comfortable clothing, closed toe shoes and bring a sack lunch with a drink each day. Camp t-shirts are available for \$7 each and must be worn on all trips and excursions. Participants may also register for extended supervision listed below. A newsletter with daily information and reminders will be available the first day of camp and the week prior to camp at www.TorranceCA.Gov/DayCamps.

Fun Camp

Participants will experience an exciting camp, make friends and stay busy during the spring break! This session includes arts, crafts, cooking, games, entertainment and a walking excursion.

Age	Dates	Time	Fee	Class
6-11	April 7-11	8:30-4:30pm	\$130/\$145	249201-01

Teen Fun Camp

Middle school students will relate to a spring break full of fun activities with teens their age. This session includes walking field trips, arts, crafts, cooking, sports, entertainment and a special excursion. Teen camp is designed to provide a positive camp experience in age appropriate structured environment.

Age	Dates	Time	Fee	Class
12-14	April 7-11	8:30-4:30pm	\$140/\$155	249204-01

™ Extended Supervision for Fun Camps

For those children who must come earlier than 8:30am or stay later than 4:30pm, you must register for morning or afternoon supervision or both.

Class	Time	Fee	
Α	7:00-8:30am	\$20/\$25	
В	4:30-6:00pm	\$20/\$25	

Camp Registration and Refunds

Registration for camps and extended supervision ends Wednesday, April 2. Requests for credits, refunds or transfers must be made one (1) week before the camp begins. All refunds will be subject to a 20% administrative fee.



CHARLES H. WILSON PARK FACILITIES

2200 Crenshaw Boulevard

Wilson Park includes tennis and paddle tennis courts, horseshoe courts, universally accessible tree house, four softball diamonds. roller hockey rink, the Dee Hardison Sports Center and batting cages.

Dee Hardison Sports Center (310) 972-7760

The Sports Center conducts youth and adult basketball, volleyball. and martial arts. The gymnasium will be available on a scheduled basis for pick-up basketball and volleyball for a nominal fee. A monthly schedule (subject to change) of open play times and fees will be available at the Sport Center. The facility is also available for public rental. For rental information call the Facility Booking Office (310) 618-5982. For information about ongoing activities and leagues call the Sports Center.

Roller Hockey Rink

(310) 972-7760

Leagues are offered for adults. The Roller Hockey rink is available for public rental. For rental information call Facility Booking (310) 618-5982. For more information, call the rink or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/Parks/4720.htm.

Southern California Live Steamers, Inc. (310) 328-0236

Free train rides the first Sunday of the month from 11:00am to 3:00pm and the third Saturday of the month (March to December) from 12:00pm to 3:00pm at the east end of Wilson Park. For more information, visit www.WilsonParkTrains.com.

Torrance Batting Cages (310) 320-2243

Are you're looking to perfect your hitting skills? The Torrance Batting Cages at Wilson Park has 8 batting stations for slowpitch softball, multi-speed hardball and fast-pitch softball. Come visit the pro shop that features top brands like Rawlings, Mizuno, Easton, Louisville Slugger and more. There is also an artificial turf area available to rent for baseball, softball and soccer. For more information, visit www.TorranceBattingCages.com.

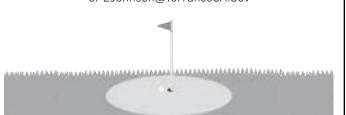
3rd Annual "Fore Fun" Memorial Day

Junior Golf Challenge Monday, May 26 \$16 9:00-11:00am Ages 6-14

Sea Aire Golf Course

22730 Lupine Drive

Pre-register at Sea Aire Golf course by 5:00pm, May 23. For more information, contact Larry Johnson, (310) 543-GOLF or LJohnson@TorranceCA.Gov



GOLF

Classes begin the week of March 30 unless otherwise noted.

See your instructor for holiday dates and make-ups. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For class cancellation policy, please see page 4.

Adult Golf Lessons - Beginning

Los Verdes Golf Course (310) 377-7370

7000 W Los Verdes Drive, Rancho Palos Verdes

6 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
18+	Su	1:00-2:00pm	Buroza (PGA)	\$108/\$123	237101-01
18+	М	1:00-2:00pm	Buroza (PGA)	\$108/\$123	237101-02
18+	W	1:00-2:00pm	Buroza (PGA)	\$108/\$123	237101-03
18+	Sa	11:00-12:00pm	Buroza (PGA)	\$108/\$123	237101-04

Youth Golf Lessons - Beginning/Intermediate

Sea Aire Golf Course, 22730 Lupine Dr.

Sea Aire is the perfect place for golfers of all levels. Use of clubs and balls during class are included. Instruction includes proper techniques in gripping the club, and how to prepare for putting and swinging. Classes are taught by Dennis Johnson. Requests for refunds, credits, and transfers must be made at least one week before class begins.

Session I - 4 week session begins March 29 & 30 Session II - 4 week session begins April 26 & 27

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Age	Day	Time	Fee	Session I	Session II
7-14	Sa	9:00-9:50am	\$55/\$65	227102-01	227102-21
7-14	Sa	10:00-10:50am	\$55/\$65	227102-02	227102-22
7-14	Su	9:00-9:50am	\$55/\$65	227102-03	227102-23
7-14	Su	10:00-10:50am	\$55/\$65	227102-04	227102-24

GOLF CHARTER CLUBS

Senior Citizens Golf Club

Meets every Friday at 8:00am.
For more information call Carol Shofner (310) 518-3805.

Women's Golf Club

Meets every Thursday at 8:00am.
For more information call Marilyn White (310) 325-1316.



Sea Aire Golf Course

22730 Lupine Dr, Torrance (310) 543-GOLF

This is a nine-hole, par three pitch and putt course. The last tee-off is one hour before closing. Photo ID with a Torrance address is required to prove residency. For more information, visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/Parks/10153.htm.



SPECIAL INTEREST SPORTS

Classes begin the week of March 30. See your instructor for holiday dates and make-ups. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, please see page 4.

Fencing - Beginning

Ken Miller Recreation Center

Basic equipment is provided. Class includes basic instruction in footwork, blade handling, concepts and theories of defense and attack. Wear loose-fitting clothes and court shoes (no shorts or sandals).

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
10-15	Th	3:45-5:00pm	TFC	\$69/\$79	227201-01
10-17	Th	6:45-8:00pm	TFC	\$69/\$79	227201-02
15+	Tu	6:45-8:00pm	TFC	\$69/\$79	237201-01

The Torrance Fencing Club (TFC) meets Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Ken Miller Recreation Center from 5:30-9:30pm. For more information, call Tom Trulove (310) 327-7348 or Sud Deland (310) 375-1792.

Track and Field, Cross Country Running - All Levels

West High Track, 20401 Victor St.

This program is designed to introduce kids to the track and field experience. Students will develop the necessary conditioning for running and learn the basic techniques for field events in track. The program is designed to gradually build up the students' running fitness.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
6-14	М	6:00-7:15pm	Druten	\$125/\$140	227203-01

🔀 Thunder Wrestling – All Levels

West High Wrestling Room, 20401 Victor St., room 6500 Wrestling is the world's oldest sport. This is not the "phony wrestling" you see on TV, this is wrestling the right way. This class covers all the basics of Olympic style wrestling, the kind they do in high school.

10 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class	
5-14	W	5:30-6:30pm	Druten	\$125/\$140	227204-01	

555 Maple Avenue (Multi-Use Sports Fields)

The City of Torrance is proud to announce the exciting development of Multi-Use Sports Fields, located at 555 Maple Avenue! This state-of-the-art, 6.2 acre facility will feature high-quality synthetic turf and energy-efficient sports lighting for year-round soccer, football, lacrosse, rugby and other sport playability. Learn more about the facility at www.TorranceCA.Gov/26907.htm

If you have any questions, please contact:

Torrance's Office of Economic Development (310) 618-5807

EconomicDevelopment@TorranceCA.Gov

SPORT LEAGUES FOR ADULTS

For more information on the Adult Sports Leagues call (310) 972-7760 or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/Parks/1478.htm.

Registration: Resident Teams:* March 31-April 16 Non-resident Teams: April 7-April 16

*Resident teams must submit full payment from a Torrance Business or a team roster with 75% of the players living within the Torrance City Limits. All players must play in one of the first 5 games to be eligible for the second half of the season. No additions after game 5. Fees listed represent the cost for resident/nonresident teams.

Adult Basketball Leagues play on Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday at the Dee Hardison Sports Center at Wilson Park.

Fees: \$715 per team (unlimited roster) For more information contact: AdultBasketball@TorranceCA.Gov

Adult Softball Leagues are offered for men, women and coed and are held Sunday through Friday at Wilson and El Nido Parks.

Fees: \$600 / \$620 (unlimited roster)

For more information contact: AdultSoftball@TorranceCA.Gov

Adult Roller Hockey Leagues for men and women of all skill levels are offered at the Wilson Park Roller Hockey Rink.

Fees: \$1,000 / \$1,020 (16 player max roster) For more information contact RollerHockey@TorranceCA.Gov

SPORTS LEAGUE FOR YOUTH

Youth Volleyball

Grades 2-8 (as of October 2013)

Dee Hardison Sports Center at Wilson Park
The main goal of the Youth Sports Program is to provide a positive recreational experience for each participant. By communicating the recreational philosophies that underlie sports competition and teaching basic skills, we provide a healthy, enjoyable experience for everyone.

The Youth Volleyball program is structured to teach basic fundamentals and rules of the game. Each player participates in every game. We do not honor requests for coaches! All teams must have a volunteer coach to participate. Volunteer Head Coach positions are limited to one per team. To volunteer, you must complete a Volunteer Coach's Application at www.TorranceCA.Gov/VolunteerProgram.htm and be fingerprinted annually. Volunteer coaches will receive a refund of the activity fee upon return of their equipment at the end of the season.

Registration begins: March 4 / March 11 All registrations must be received by March 27.

There are no full refunds given and only partial refunds of 80% will be given prior to April 24. For more information call Youth Sports (310) 781-7515, or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/Parks/9626.htm.

8 weeks begins April 26 (tentative start date)

Grad	le Division	Day	Time	Fee	Class
2-4	Clinic	Sa	9:00-11:00am	\$69	227400-00
4	Junior	Sa	Varies	\$69	227400-04
5	Junior	Sa	Varies	\$69	227400-05
6	Senior	Sa	Varies	\$69	227400-06
7	Senior	Sa	Varies	\$69	227400-07
8	Senior	Sa	Varies	\$69	227400-08



TENNIS

Classes begin the week of March 30 and will not meet May **26.** Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, please see page 4.

Advanced: Prerequisite: Intermediate. Must have good control of forehand, backhand, and serve.

Beginner I: Introduction to fundamental strokes.

Beginner II: Prerequisite: Beginner I. More fundamentals.

Intermediate: Prerequisite: Beginner II. Should have some control of forehand, backhand, and serve. Net play, doubles strategy, and polishing the mechanics of play are introduced. Round Robin **Doubles:** Prerequisite: Intermediate and Advanced level students. Learn by playing, develop strategy and movement.

▶ Tennis at El Retiro Park

126 Vista del Parque

8 weeks

Age Level Day		Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class	
	8-16	Beg I	W	4:00-4:50pm	Le	\$60	227501-01
	8-16	Beg I	W	6:00-6:50pm	Le	\$60	227501-02
	8-16	Beg II	W	5:00-5:50pm	Le	\$60	227502-01
	17+	Int	Th	10:00-10:50am	Crofut	\$60	237503-01
	17+	Int/RRD	Th	11:00-12:50pm	Crofut	\$65	237506-01

□ Tennis at Hickory Park

2850 W 232nd Street

8 weeks

Age	Level	υay	Time	Instructor	ree	Class
8-16	Beg I	Th	4:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227501-11
8-16	Beg II	Th	5:00-5:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227502-11
8-16	Int	Th	6:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227503-11
8-16	Int/Adv	Th	7:00-7:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227505-11

▶ Tennis at Paradise Park

5006 Lee Street

8 weeks

Age	Level	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-16	Beg I	Tu	4:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227501-21
8-16	Beg I	F	4:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227501-22
8-16	Beg I	Sa	9:00-9:50am	Le	\$60	227501-23
8-16	Beg I	Sa	10:00-10:50am	Le	\$60	227501-24
8-16	Beg II	Tu	5:00-5:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227502-21
8-16	Beg II	F	5:00-5:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227502-22
8-16	Beg II	Sa	11:00-11:50am	Le	\$60	227502-23
8-16	Beg II	Sa	12:00-12:50pm	Le	\$60	227502-24
8-16	Int	Tu	6:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227503-21
8-16	Int	F	6:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227503-22
8-16	Adv	Tu	7:00-7:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227504-21
17+	Beg I	Tu	10:00-10:50am	Crofut	\$60	237501-21
17+	Int/RRD	Tu	11:00-12:50pm	Crofut	\$65	237506-21

Tennis at Sur La Brea Park 23610 Cabrillo Avenue 8 weeks

Age	Level	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-16	Beg I	М	5:00-5:50pm	Le	\$60	227501-31
8-16	Beg II	М	6:00-6:50pm	Le	\$60	227502-31

► Tennis at Wilson Park 2200 Crenshaw Boulevard

8 weeks

Age	Level	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-16	Beg I	М	4:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227501-41
8-16	Beg I	W	4:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227501-42
8-16	Beg I	Th	4:00-4:50pm	Le	\$60	227501-43
8-16	Beg II	М	5:00-5:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227502-41
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8-16	Beg II	W	5:00-5:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227502-42
8-16	Beg II	Th	5:00-5:50pm	Le	\$60	227502-43
8-16	Int	М	6:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227503-41
8-16	Int	W	6:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$60	227503-42
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17+	Beg I	Th	6:00-6:50pm	Le	\$60	237501-41
17+	Beg I	Sa	12:00-12:50pm	Crofut	\$60	237501-42
17+	Beg II	Th	7:00-7:50pm	Le	\$60	237502-41
17+	Beg II	Sa	1:00-1:50pm	Crofut	\$60	237502-42
17+	Int	Sa	2:00-2:50pm	Crofut	\$60	237503-41
17+ Ir	nt/RRD	W	7:00-8:50pm	Crofut	\$65	237506-41
17+ Ir	nt/RRD	Sa	3:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$65	237506-42
17 Ir	nt/RRD	Sa	5:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$65	237506-43

■ Tennis for Seniors at Sur La Brea Park

23610 Cabrillo Avenue

This is a non-competitive, recreational program as a fun route to fitness. Class includes stretching, warm-up, basic strokes, rules, and strategies.

8 weeks

Age Level	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
50+ Adv RRD	Tu	9:00-10:20am	Miekosz	\$55	237510-31
50+ Int/Adv RRD	Tu	10:30-11:50am	Miekosz	\$55	237510-32

Tennis Lessons with South Bay Tennis Center

Charles H. Wilson Park Tennis Courts

This high quality class for all levels will focus on stroke production, drills, games and competition. Each student must provide their own tennis racquet, water and sunscreen.

8 weeks

Age	Day	Time	Instructor	Fee	Class
8-17	F	4:00-5:30pm	Staff	\$85	227509-41

Las Canchas Tennis Center

25924 Rolling Hills Road

A City of Torrance facility operated and managed by the South Bay Tennis Center with 8 lit courts available for public use 7 days a week. For more information, visit www. SouthBayTennisCenter.com or call (310) 530-8212 or (310) 415-1969.



Victor E. Benstead Plunge

The Plunge is a 50 by 20 meter outdoor pool. During the school year the bulkhead allows for multiple programs and provides a 25 yard course. Locker rooms have heated showers. Take advantage of this great facility and make swimming a daily part of your life!

Swim attire is required. No t-shirts, shorts, tank tops, leotards or street clothes are allowed. No red rash guards are allowed. Swim caps are optional. Swimmers must provide their own goggles. The Plunge is not responsible for lost or stolen items. All personal items must be locked into lockers. Padlocks are available for rent or you may provide your own. Lockers are for day use only.

For closed holiday dates and more information, call the Plunge (310) 781-7113. For class cancellation policy, please see page 4.

▶ Plunge Recreation Swim

Saturdays 1:30-4:00pm

Swimming for Fitness – Lap Swimming Ages 15+

(Participants ages 15-18 must present proof of age)

 Monday-Friday
 6:30-8:00am & 11:00-1:00pm

 Monday-Thursday
 8:30-9:30pm

 Saturday
 1:30-4:00pm

 Sunday
 11:00-1:00pm

SPECIAL INTEREST SWIM CLASSES

Adult Water Exercise Class

This no impact exercise class is ideal for joints, muscles and rehabbing injuries. It will help maintain flexibility and muscle tone and is great for socializing.

5 weeks (*no class May 26)

Age	Day	Dates	Time	Fee	Class
18+	M/W	3/24-4/23	7:15-8:00pm	\$60	237612-01
18+	M/W	4/28-6/2*	7:15-8:00pm	\$60	237612-02

Lifeguard Training

Prerequisite: must be able to swim 500 yards continuously. Red Cross certified instructors will teach lifeguard training skills which include CPR, First Aid & AED for the professional Rescuer. Passing this class will certify you to apply for lifeguard positions anywhere. This class requires 16 hour of attendance. A \$50 material fee will be collected at the first class.

7 weeks, March 22-May 3

Age	Day	Time	Fee	Class
16+	Sa	3:00-7:00pm	\$184	237611-01

Pre-Competitive Swim

Prerequisite: Participants must be able to swim 50 meters of crawl, backstroke, and breaststroke continuously in deep water. Class focuses on perfecting the four competitive strokes, racing starts, and turns. This class will not meet the needs of children who need Beginning to Advanced Beginning swim instruction.

10 weeks, March 22-June 7 (no class May 17 & 24)

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Age	Day	Time	Fee	Class	
7-16	Sa	10:30-11:05am	\$54	227613-03	
7-16	Sa	12:45-1:20pm	\$54	227613-06	

Sync or Swim

Prerequisite: Each participant must be able to swim 50 yards freestyle, crawl and backstroke with good form, tread water, and be comfortable in deep water. Sync or Swim is the City of Torrance synchronized swim team. It offers new and exciting opportunities for synchronized swimmers of all levels. Members of the team will observe and participate in exclusive competitions. Nose plugs and goggles are required.

10 weeks, March 24-June 8 (no class May 25 & 26)

Age	Day	Time	Fee	Class	
8-18	Su	2:00-5:00pm	\$184	227614-01	
	M/W	6:00-7:30nm			

Synchro Sundays - Beginning

Prerequisite: Each participant must be able to swim 25 yards freestyle and backstroke, tread water, and be comfortable in deep water. Learn the basic figures, basic sculling and how to improve your synchro swim strokes. This is a great way to decide if you want to compete and will prepare you for the summer Aquacade or just have fun. This class will culminate in a recital on Sunday June 8.

11 weeks, March 23-June 8 (no class May 25)

Age	Day	Time	Fee	Class
8-18	Su	3:00-3:45pm	\$54	227615-01

SWIM LESSONS

Adult Swim Lessons

Participants are tested and placed in swim classes according to their ability. Red Cross Levels I (non-swimmer) to VI (advanced swimmer) are taught.

5 weeks

Age	Day	Dates	Time	Fee	Class
18+	Tu/Th	3/25-4/24	7:30-8:15pm	\$60	237621-01
18+	Tu/Th	4/29-5/29	7:30-8:15pm	\$60	237621-02

Learn to Swim and Teen Swim

A Red Cross program designed to teach Levels I-VI (beginning to advanced swimmers). At the first class the children are tested and placed in groups according to their skill level. A Red Cross certificate will be issued at the successful completion of each class.

10 weeks, March 22-June 7 (no class May 17 & 24)

Age	Day	Time	Fee	Class
7-12	Sa	9:00-9:35am	\$54	227622-01
7-12	Sa	9:45-10:20am	\$54	227622-02
7-12	Sa	11:15-11:50am	\$54	227622-04
7-12	Sa	12:00-12:35pm	\$54	227622-05
13-17	Sa	12:45-1:20pm	\$54	227624-06

Tadpole Swim

Water adjustment activities, basic forms of swimming and water safety skills are emphasized. Children work in groups to discover the joys of water fun in a safe environment. Parents are not allowed in the water or on the pool deck during class.

10 weeks, March 22-June 7 (no class May 17 & 24)

Age	Day	Time	Fee	Class
4-6	Sa	9:00-9:30am	\$54	227623-01
4-6	Sa	9:45-10:15am	\$54	227623-02
4-6	Sa	10:30-11:00am	\$54	227623-03
4-6	Sa	11:15-11:45am	\$54	227623-04
4-6	Sa	12:00-12:30pm	\$54	227623-05
4-6	Sa	12:45-1:15pm	\$54	227623-06





LIBRARY LOCATIONS

El Retiro

126 Vista del Parque Redondo Beach 90277 (310) 375-0922

Henderson

4805 Emerald St. Torrance 90503 (310) 371-2075

Katy Geissert Civic Center

3301 Torrance Blvd. Torrance 90503 (310) 618-5959

North Torrance

3604 Artesia Blvd. Torrance 90504 (310) 323-7200

Southeast

23115 S. Arlington Ave. Torrance 90501 (310) 530-5044

Walteria

3815 W. 242nd St. Torrance 90505 (310) 375-8418

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY HARDBACK BOOK SALE

Katy Geissert Civic Center Library

Friday, April 25 – Members pre-sale Saturday, April 26 – Public sale 2:00-6:00pm 9:00-4:00pm

The Friends offer thousands of books at bargain prices. Join the Friends at the door (\$5.00) and be able to attend the pre-sale and have first choice on a wide variety of subjects.

TECH TRAINING FOR OLDER ADULTS

Learn about the latest trends in technology and have your questions answered by knowledgeable tech savvy teens. Recommended for ages 40+. Space is limited. Call to register (310) 618-5945 for individual appointments.

EVENTS FOR ADULTS

The Library offers free programs for adults including Meet the Author, lectures, films, crafts, and discussions. Please see the online Calendar of Events at www.TorranceCA.Gov/Events for a schedule of programs or call (310) 618-5959.

≫ Knitting 101

Saturdays, March 1 & 15

10:00am

Henderson Library

This two day workshop is designed for adults who have never knitted before and want to learn the basics: cast on, knit, purl and bind off. Participants must attend Session I to attend Session II. Space is limited. To register call (310) 371-2075.

≫ Ukrainian Easter Eggs

Saturday, March 29

10:00am

Henderson Library

Learn about and create Ukrainian Easter Eggs. Space is limited. To register call (310) 371-2075.

≫ Mother's Day Bouquet

Saturday, April 26

10:00am

Henderson Library

Join Naomi Jung and create a fun spring bouquet. Space is limited. To register call (310) 371-2075.

E-BOOKS ARE HERE!

Electronic books are available through the Library's website: www.TorranceCA.Gov/Library/ebooks. Titles include picture books for children, books for teens, fiction and nonfiction for adults. Browse by subject, read book reviews, and consider recommendations for further reading.

EVENTS FOR YOUTH

The Library offers a wide variety of free programs for youth at all locations. For a complete schedule see the online Calendar of Events at www.TorranceCA.Gov/Events or call (310) 618-5964.

≫ Storytime at the Library

The Spring Storytime session begins the week of March 24 and ends the week of May 19. Storytimes are designed for individual families and cannot accommodate organized groups. For information on arranging a group or class visit, call (310) 618-5964.

≫ Serendipity Saturdays

Select Saturdays

10:30am

Katy Geissert Civic Center Library

Bring the little ones (ages 1-5) for a morning of fun! These programs are designed to engage, entertain, and get children and their caregivers moving! For more information call the Youth Services Department at (310) 618-5964. (45 minutes)

≫ FUN-tastic Fridays

Select Fridays

3:30pm

Katy Geissert Civic Center Library

All programs last between 45 and 60 minutes. For more information, call (310) 618-5964.

≫ Teen Zone

Select Thursdays

3:30pm

Katy Geissert Civic Center Library

Interactive and entertaining programs designed for teens.

≫ Ready for the Wii-KEND

Select Fridays

3:30pm

Katy Geissert Civic Center Library

Interactive gaming programs specifically designed for teens.

≫ Pages and Pizza Teen Book Group

Southeast Library

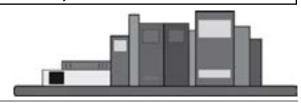
4:00pm

Read and talk about books for teens. For students in grades 7-12. Meetings are held on the fourth Wednesday of every month. Registration is required. For more information, call (310) 530-5044.

≫ Teen Advisory Boards (TAB)

High school students – would you like to provide input on the collections and programs at your local library? Join a Teen Advisory Board. You will have inside information about the cool happenings at the Library and your voice will be heard.

All programs are free and generously sponsored by the Friends of the Torrance Library



MADRONA MARSH

MADRONA MARSH NATURE CENTER AND PRESERVE

3201 Plaza Del Amo, Torrance, CA 90503 For more information call (310) 782-3989 or visit www.FriendsOfMadronaMarsh.com www.TorranceCA.Gov/MadronaMarsh

"An Island of Wilderness in the City"

A visit to the Madrona Marsh Preserve is truly a unique experience. It is one of the last remaining vernal marshes in Southern California. The Madrona Marsh Nature Center is an educational and interpretive center for the Preserve's natural resources. It includes an Exhibit Hall, Classroom, Project Lab, Curation Lab, Gift Shop, and a beautiful native plant garden.

The Preserve and Nature Center are open:

Tuesday – Sunday 10:00am - 5:00pm

Nature Center Gift Shop

Unusual and interesting gifts for everyone For hours of operation call (310) 782-3989 To volunteer call (310) 320-8255

2nd Sunday Science for the Whole Family

\$5 per person or \$10 per family

March 9, 2:00-4:00pm Exotic Birds with Tomi of Animal

Lovers Pet Shop

ART AT THE MARSH - EXHIBITS/RECEPTIONS

View the works of local artists portraying the beauty of the Madrona Marsh. Exhibits are on display daily in the Nature Center. To display your art at Madrona Marsh, call (310) 782-3989.

Nature's Art, a Photography Exhibit by Allan Stansbury

Exhibit will be on display February 25-April 4 Artist's Reception: Friday, March 21, 6:30-8:30pm

A Watercolor Exhibit by Estelle DeRidder

Exhibit will be on display April 8-May 23 Artist's Reception: Friday, April 25, 6:30-8:30pm

ASTRONOMY

■ Star Party Free

With Paul Livio and The Riverside Astronomical Society
Saturday, March 8 - View Jupiter 6:30-8:30pm
Saturday, April 5 - View Jupiter & Mars 7:30-9:30pm

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES

■ Tyke Hike \$5 donation
1st Thursday of every month 10:00-11:30am

■ Friday Fun with Cindy Reid \$5 donation

Pre-Registration is required. Reservations begin on Tuesdays.

Every Friday 10:00-12:00pm

■ Story Time, Art and Nature for Kids \$5 person

With Suzanne Gibson
Saturday April 12 10:00-12:00pm

ONGOING ACTIVITIES - FAMILIES & ADULTS

Senior Naturalist Free

Bring a friend and learn about nature
2nd Wednesday of every month 1:00-2:30pm

■ The Birds of Madrona Free

A walk with Bob Shanman
2nd Wednesday of every month
8:00-10:00am

■ Tour de Torrance Free

Birding "hot spots" of the South Bay
1st. 3rd & 5th Tuesday of every month
8:30am

■ Nature Walk Free 4th weekend of every month 10:00-12:00pm

© Propagation Society Free

Planting Seeds for the Future

Every Thursday 10:30-12:30pm

■ Habitat Restoration & Service Learning Free

Every Saturday (rain cancels) 8:45-12:00pm

Tuesday and Wednesday WeedersEvery Tuesday and Wednesday
No College or High School Students – Only adults willing to

NATIVE PLANTS & GARDENING

commit 50 or more hours a year.

Out of the Wilds & into Your Garden Donations accepted With Connie Vadheim

1st Saturday every month 10:00-12:00pm Repeats the following Tuesday 6:30-8:30pm February 1 & 4 Intro to Botany for Gardeners March 1 & 4 Climate Change and So. Cal Gardens April 5 & 8 Fabulous Fruits

SPECIAL EVENTS

■ Origami for all ages Free

With 13 yr old Origami Expert, Richard Ruan Saturday, February 8 & March 8 10:00-12:00pm

■ Introduction to Birds & Birding
Free

Learn about a new species every month
Saturdays 9:00-11:00am

February 15, March 15, April 19

Night Hike with Dan Marion Saturday, February 22
 Saturday,

@ Birding by EarSaturday, March 8

Ages 16+
\$5 per person
8:30-11:00am

Saturday, March 8 8:30-11:00am

1 Binocular Seminar with Bob SharmanFreeSaturday, March 299:00-11:00am

Annual Garden Tea Party
 Free

Hosted by the Friends of Madrona Marsh
Saturday, April 12 1:00-3:00pm

■ Earth DaySaturday, April 19
Free
8:30-12:00pm

PARKS & RECREATION

FACILITY BOOKING



City of Torrance Community Services Department

Facility Booking

Host your next event with the City of Torrance!

Picnic Areas Park Buildings
Sports Fields Gymnasium
Roller Rink Wedding Venue
Swimming Pool The ATTIC

Website: www.TorranceCA.Gov/22151.htm Book Online: www.TorranceCA.Gov/FacilityBooking

Phone: (310) 618-5982 Office Hours: M-F, 8:00am-5:00pm

TORRANCE COMMUNITY GARDENS

Community Gardens are located at Columbia and Lago Seco Parks and offer a wonderful opportunity for folks to grow their own produce in a fun and friendly atmosphere. The program is offered for Torrance residents only. Fees and cleaning deposits apply. For more information, contact Joyce Chan at (310) 781-7520.



AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS

After School Club

The After School Club is sponsored by the City of Torrance Community Services Department. The program follows the Torrance Unified School District calendar and is offered only on days when school is in session between September and June. Clubs are offered at the following schools: Arnold, Carr, Edison, Fern/Greenwood, Torrance, Victor, Walteria and Yukon Elementary Schools; and Bert Lynn, Casimir, Hull, Jefferson, Madrona, Magruder and Richardson Middle Schools. Participants must attend the school selected and show proof of enrollment prior to registering. For more information call the Community Services Department at (310) 618-2930 or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/ AfterSchool.

SPECIAL NEEDS RECREATION PROGRAMS

The City of Torrance is pleased to offer programs that provide activities and assistance to individuals with intellectual disabilities. For more information on these programs visit www.TorranceCA. Gov/Parks/6622.htm or call Phil Duthie (310) 618-2934.

PALS SOCIAL CLUB (PEOPLE ACTIVELY LEARNING AND SHARING)

This is a Social Club for teens and adults with intellectual disabilities. PALS offers dances, social activities, a quarterly newsletter, and more. The annual fee is \$20 residents/\$25 non-residents and covers January-December. The PALS fee includes the Special Needs Sports Programs.

SPECIAL NEEDS SPORTS

This is an integrated sports program for those with intellectual disabilities and their peers. Seasonal sports include basketball, bocce, bowling, cycling, flag football, lap swim, soccer, softball, snowshoeing, and tennis. The annual fee includes PALS membership and must be paid prior to participation.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS

This is a competitive sports and training program for individuals with intellectual disabilities. Sports are offered on a seasonal basis. Registration occurs in January and August. Torrance Special Needs Sports Registration Form, Special Olympics Registration Form, and medical releases are required prior to participation.





SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

ART & THEATRE EVENTS

Artful Days

Free

Torrance Cultural Arts Center George Nakano Theatre 3330 Civic Center Drive

Doors open at noon – Lecture from 12:10-1:00pm Tuesdays - Presented by Art Historian, Mary Drobny

March 4 April 1 May 6

Caravaggio and His Followers The Sistine Chapel Frescoes Aztecs Before the Spanish Arrived

Torrance Art Museum

January 18 - March 8

REVERB!

Music as both inspiration and content in contemporary art

March 29 - May 15

PREP SCHOOL

Apocalyptic Visions and Survival Scenarios Opening Reception: Saturday, March 29

6:00-9:00pm

Opening Reception: Saturday, March 29

ART CHARTER CLUBS

Torrance Artists Guild is a non-profit fine arts organization that recognizes all medium of paintings, etchings, and photography. The general meetings are held the 2nd Tuesday of each month at the Ken Miller Recreation Center.

Torrance Craftsmen's Guild is a non-profit organization promoting interest in all arts and crafts and the exchange of artistic ideas. Meetings are held the 1st Thursday of the month (no July or December meeting) at the Ken Miller Recreation Center. For more information contact TorranceCraftsmensGuild@gmail.com.

Torrance Craftsmen's Guild

15th Annual Spring Arts and Craft Faire

Saturday, March 22

9:00am-4:00pm

Ken Miller Recreation Center

3341 Torrance Blvd.

Free Parking and Admission

Over 40 Craftsmen

Quality Handcrafted Treasurers-No Commercial Items

Door Prize * Opportunity Drawing * Lots of Food

Make-it & Take-it Craft Table for Kids

For more information visit www.TorranceCraftsmensGuild.org

THEATRE EVENTS

Torrance Civic Chorale Presents: "The Whole World is Singing"

Saturday, May 3 James R. Armstrong Theatre 3330 Civic Center Drive

Come experience choral music from around our beautiful world. Travels begin in Africa, then China, England, Israel, Italy, then... well, come travel with us. You will experience an evening of unforgettable choral music to compliment your personal repertoire of favorites. A thrilling night you'll be reflecting upon for many months.

"It's A Grand Night For Singing" because "The Whole World Is Singing", "It's A Musical World" so, therefore, "Let There Be Music!" Our concerts are known to quickly sell out, so, buy your reserved seat early.

For ticket information, call the Box Office (310) 781-7171.

Torrance Cultural Arts Center

www.TCAC.TorranceCA.Gov

Located in the heart of the South Bay, The Torrance Cultural Arts Center combines modern design and natural beauty into a unique multipurpose complex. The Center houses meeting and banquet rooms, visual and performing arts studios, a 502-seat theatre, two spacious outdoor plazas and an authentic Japanese Garden. This versatile environment provides a range of venues and options to enhance the atmosphere of any event. For pricing inquiries and questions call (310) 781-7150.



SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

TORRANCE CULTURAL ARTS FOUNDATION

Your Center for Entertainment www.TorranceArts.Org

For ticket information and reservations call the Box Office (310) 781-7171. A \$2.50 handling fee will be charged for all tickets. Performances are held in the James R. Armstrong Theatre unless otherwise noted. For online ticket purchases visit: www.TorranceCA.Gov/TCACTickets.

Guest Artists Series

Scrap-Arts-Music	\$35
Saturday, March 15	8:00pm

Grease Sing-A-Long

Sunday, March 23 Including dinner \$26.50 6:00pm Without dinner \$17.50 7:00pm

Cinema Sweethearts with Laura Ellis Saturday, April 12 \$25 8:00pm

Bubblemania: Comedy with a Drip! \$20

Sunday, April 27 2:00 & 6:00pm

Opera Cinema Series

Lucrezia Borgia Sunday, March 23	\$17.50 2:00pm
Aida	\$17.50
Sunday, April 13	2:00pm

Studio Cabaret Series

George Nakano Theatre with dinner for purchase

Allan Harris	\$33
Friday & Saturday, February 21 & 22	7:30pm

Extreme Guitar Duo \$33

Friday & Saturday, March 7 & 8 7:30pm

Special Events

Dancing With the South Bay Stars III \$75/\$50

Saturday, February 15

8:00pm

Torrance Performing Arts Consortium

Los Cancioneros Master Chorale Presents: Rutter's Mass for the Children

Sunday, March 16 7:00pm

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

"5-0 AND ON THE GO!"

Anyone aged 50 years and over is invited to join "5-0 And On The Go!" promoting fitness, fun, and friendships. For an annual fee of \$5 (renewable each January), members receive a bi-monthly newsletter of activities. Register at any Senior Center listed or send a check made payable to the City of Torrance to:

5-0 And On The Go Registration 1318 Cravens Avenue Torrance, CA 90501

Include your name, address, phone number, an emergency contact person, and a self-addressed stamped envelope.

CENTER PROGRAMS

Bartlett Senior Citizens Center (310) 320-5918

1318 Cravens Avenue

The Bartlett Center is open daily and provides a full range of programs and services. Activities include special interest classes, weekday hot lunches for a nominal fee, exercise and dance classes, card games, shuffleboard, pool, lapidary shop, singing groups, dances, special events, and more!

Free legal advice is available. To schedule an appointment, call (310) 320-5918.

For information about other Senior Citizens Center programs throughout the City:

Herma Tillim Senior Citizens Center (310) 329-1889 Tuesdays – Thursdays, 3614 Artesia Blvd.

Ken Miller Recreation Center Program (310) 320-5918 Fridays. 3341 Torrance Blvd.

Walteria Park, Senior Citizens Program(310) 320-5918 Mondays & Thursdays, 3855 242nd Street

INFORMATION & REFERRAL

Focal Point on Aging

(310) 320-1300

Russ Nolte Annex, 1339 Post Avenue Monday – Friday, 9:00am-3:00pm

The Focal Point on Aging is an information and referral program where older adults, caregivers, and their families can obtain access to aging services in the community. The Focal Point program is housed in the Russ Nolte Annex, located next to the Bartlett Senior Citizens Center in downtown Torrance. It provides ready access to a full range of available services, including: transportation, housing, Meals-On-Wheels, health care, companion care, Medicare, social and legal services, HMO's, and more.

TEEN ACTIVITIES

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

THE ATTIC - A Torrance Teen Center

2320 W. Carson St. (310) 782-8828

Attention all High School Students

Bishop ♦ CAMS ♦ North High ♦ Shery

South High♦ Torrance High♦ West High

THE ATTIC is the perfect place for Torrance High School students to enjoy an assortment of recreational, academic, vocation, and self-help programs in a relaxed atmosphere. We have the perfect place for students to hang out and meet up with friends. Stop in and check it out for yourself!

Facility hours during the School Year Monday-Friday 3:00-9:00pm (closed April 7–11)

Facility Offers

Full Service Kitchen-ATTIC Café

Full Fitness Room Regulation Size Pool Table

Basketball Court Big Screen TV
Air Hockey Table Foosball Table
Board Games Ping Pong Table
3-27" Game TVs (wii, PS3, two X-Box 360)
Computers with free internet access

Special Events

Ski/Snowboard Trips
Job/College Fairs
Theme Parties
Fund Raisers

Amusement Parks
Fashion Shows
Movie Marathons
and much more!

ATTIC SPRING CLASSES

Classes begin the week of April 21

Participants must attend a Torrance area High School or reside within the Torrance City Limits. For more information about these classes call (310) 782-8828.

Spring Classes are:

Hip-Hop Dance – Tuesdays, 4:00-5:00pm Strength Training – Fridays, 6:00-7:00pm Acoustic Jam Sessions – Tuesdays, 5:00-6:00pm SPIN (Serving People in Need) - Wednesdays, 5:00-6:00pm

ATTIC SPECIAL EVENTS

For more information on these events call The ATTIC.

Pancake Breakfast

Saturday, April 5 7:00-11:00am

Service Fair

Wednesday, May 7 3:00-5:00pm

MIDDLE SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

CO-REC CLUB

Exclusively for 6th, 7th, and 8th Graders
Torrance Middle school students, check out the Co-Rec Program.

this the hottest youth dance club in the South Bay area. We feature the best DJ's around, a great snack bar, game room and door prizes. Co-Rec is a membership program. You must be a member to attend these dances. Guests are allowed to attend ONE dance before joining the club (a school ID or a print out of a current school schedule is required for admission).

Membership into this exclusive club is \$15 a year (September 2013-August 2014). You can sign up before any dance or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/Parks/7043.htm for an application. A current school ID or a print out of a current school schedule is mandatory for membership (Zangle, Parent Connect and notes will not be accepted as proof of grade or residency). Your membership will include a Co-Rec picture ID card and a monthly newsletter.

Dances are usually held twice a month on Fridays from 7:30-9:30pm at the Ken Miller Recreation Center, 3341 Torrance Blvd.

Note to Parents: Please don't drop off children before 7:00pm and be prompt in picking them up at 9:30pm.

Spring dances will be held on the following dates: All Guests Must have a Torrance school ID

March 7 (members only) & March 21 April 4 (members only) & April 18 May 2 (members only) & May 23 June 6

Drug Free World Dance Admission: \$4 members / \$6 guests March 21 7:30-9:30pm

Join us for annual Drug Free World Dance! We will provide lots of information for you to take and games/contests to participate in promoting a drug free world.

Spring Carnival Admission: \$8 members / \$10 quests April 18 7:30-9:30pm

Join us at Co-Rec for a Spring Carnival! Test your skills on the carnival games or just get your face painted! We will provide the carnival snacks! The night will be filled with fun activities and great music! You could even win a cool Door Prize.

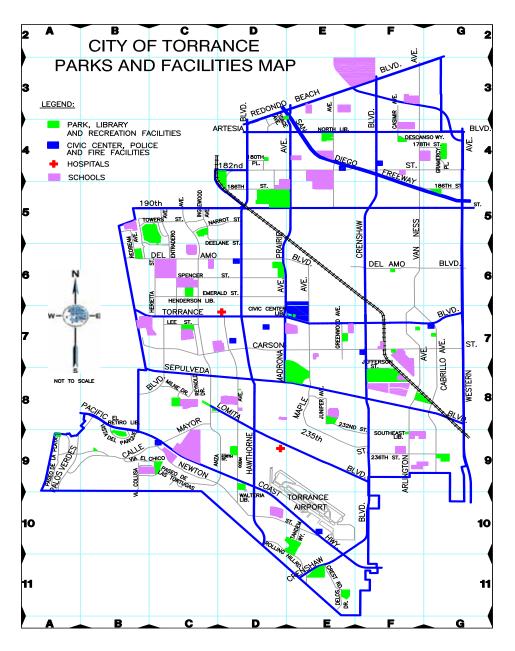
Hawaiian Dance Party Admission: \$8 members / \$10 guests May 23 7:30-9:30pm

Aloha! Pull out all your summer clothes, it's time for our annual Hawaiian Dance! Come hang out with friends at the island of Co-Rec. We'll feature island snacks for all to enjoy. Dress Hawaiian and enjoy an evening of dancing with great music! There will be cool prizes for the best attire. Stop in for an evening of fun!



City of Torrance Parks and Facilities

Alta Loma Park, 26126 Delos Dr	E1′
Bartlett Senior Center, 1318 Cravens Ave	F7
Charles H. Wilson Park, 2200 Crenshaw Blvd (Batting Cages, Farmers' Market, Horseshoe Co Roller Hockey Rink, SoCal Live Steamers, Dee Hardison Sports Center)	
Columbia Park, 4045 190th St	D
De Portola Park, 25615 Lazy Meadow Dr	E10
Delthorne Park, 3401 Spencer St	D <i>t</i>
Descanso Park, 2500 Descanso Way	F4
Discovery Park, 22526 Ocean Ave	D8
El Nido Park, 18301 Kingsdale Ave	D <i>i</i>
El Prado Park, El Prado Ave from Carson to Crave	ns F
El Retiro Library, 126 Vista del Parque	B
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Entradero Park, 5500 Towers St	C5
Greenwood Park, 1520 Greenwood Ave	E7
Guenser Park, 17800 Gramercy Place	G/
Henderson Library, 4805 Emerald St	C
Hickory Park, 2850 W 232nd St	E
Katy Geissert Civic Center Library (Main Library 3301 Torrance Blvd	
La Carretera Park, 2040 186th St	G
La Paloma Park, Lomita Blvd., East of Anza	C8
La Romeria Park, 19501 Inglewood Ave	C5
Lago Seco Park, 3920 W 235th St	D9
Las Canchas Tennis Center, 25942 Rolling Hills Rd .	E1′
Los Arboles (Rocketship) Park, 5101 Calle de Ricardo	C
Madrona Marsh Nature Center & Preserve 3201 Plaza del Amo	
McMaster Park, 3624 Artesia Blvd	
Miramar Park, 201 Paseo de la Playa	
North Torrance Library, 3604 Artesia Blvd	
Osage Park, 17008 Osage Ave	
Paradise Park, 5006 Lee St	
Pequeno Park, 4223 180th St	
Pueblo Park, 2252 Del Amo Blvd	
Riviera Park, Catalina at P.V. Dr	
Sea Aire Golf Course, 22730 Lupine Dr	



Seaside Heroes Park, 22851 Anza AveCE
Southeast Library, 23115 ArlingtonF9
Sunnyglen Park, 5525 Del Amo BlvdB&
Sur La Brea Park, 23610 Cabrillo AveGS
The ATTIC Teen Center, 2320 W Carson StF7
Torrance Civic Center, 3031 Torrance Blvd E6/E7 (City Hall, Torrance Cultural Arts Center, George Nakano Theatre, James R. Armstrong Theatre, Ken Miller Recreation Center, Torrance Art Museum Victor E Benstead Plunge)
Torrance Fire Station #1, 1701 Crenshaw BlvdF7

Torrance Fire Station #2, 25135 Robinson Way E10 Torrance Fire Station #3, 3535 W 182nd StE4

Torrance Fire Station #4, 5205 Calle MayorC9
Torrance Fire Station #5, 3940 Del Amo Blvd D6
Torrance Fire Station #6, 21401 Del Amo Circle . D7
Torrance Police Department, 3300 Civic Center Dr E6
TPD Downtown Community Center, 1215 El PradoG7
TPD North Community Center, 3624 Artesia Blvd E4
TPD South Community Center, 3855 242nd St D9
Torrance Park, 2001 Santa Fe AveF8
Victor Park, 4727 Emerald StC6
Walteria Library, 3855 W 242nd St
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